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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

BLUE MOUND.

A. P. Hill and E. T. Clements attended the funeral of J. Y. Taylor at Madison Sunday.

Professor Howard Caldwell of Normal, Ill., organized a class of thirty-four scholars in vocal music here Monday evening.

Miss Ceola Sprague was shopping in Decatur Tuesday.

Jacob Kirk, who has been confined to his house nearly a year from the effect of a stroke of paralysis, is gradually failing and will hardly live through the summer.

E. T. Clements went to Boody Wednesday on business.

A goodly number of our people attended the show at Decatur Tuesday.

B. C. Diehl will teach the Ireland school, Lyman Shick, the Bean school, and Jo Flinn the Lincoln school next year. There are a number of schools not yet let, but there are of course several applicants for each school.

ARGENTA NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Diehl visited with W. F. Hoovers, near Maroa, on Monday.

Mrs. Emmett Brown, of Monticello visited with relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Gerber are visiting in Ohio.

Johnson Ross, of Bloomington, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wikoff visited with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wikoff, at Maroa, on Tussday.

Calvin Shaffer, attending school at Lincoln university, came home Monday ill with erysipelas.

Will Adam's little daughter Flossie was badly bitten by a cat Monday. She was brought to town immediately and had the wounds dressed and it is hoped nothing serious will result.

A number of young people here attended the meeting of the county Endeavor Union held at Decatur Sunday.

The foundation of C. B. Currier's new house in the Carr addition is nearly completed. The house is expected to be ready for occupancy in June.

A sister of Mrs. Harvey Tooley's is visiting her from the southern part of the state.

The M. E. church society will have a basket festival at their church Saturday night.

Mrs. Costello, living west of town has been seriously ill with erysipelas, but is reported to be improving nicely.

LAKE CITY.

Quite a number from here attended the show at Decatur Tuesday.

Mrs. Shoel, Mrs. James Byrum and Miss Sallie Byrum were shopping in Lovington Monday.

Mrs. Henry Myer visited her daughter, Mrs. Fount Logan, at Sullivan, Monday.

Lucy Sedders has been suffering from an attack of inflamatory rheumatism for the past few days.

Mrs. Joseph Dickson has been quite sick for the last week.

John Marlow and family spent Sunday with friends near Bethany.

Rev. Hartrick filled his regular appointment at the M. E. church Sunday night. Four candidates were received into full connection with the church.

Rev. Harmon, of Bethany, will preach at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening next.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather the ice cream supper at Sunny Side last Friday night was not very well attended, but a nice time was enjoyed by those present.

Quite a number from this place attended the commencement exercises at Lovington last night.

Mrs. Griffith is visiting friends at Arthur this week.

Rumor has it that John Rankin is to return to our village with a newly wedded wife from the blue grass country of Kentucky.

Those who attended the Moultrie county republican convention at Sullivan Monday from Dora township as delegates were: John Appendah, G. L. Sedders, Wm. Reeder and W. H. Dickson. Now that the convention is over the next step is to go to work to help to put Moultrie county in the Republican column this fall and give her a record she has never before recorded.

BOODY.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pistorius welcomed another little one to their home one day last week.

Quite a number of the friends and relatives of this place attended the funeral of the late Rev. Boomgardner at Mowequa last Thursday.

Boody was well represented at the concert given by the musical talent of Elwin last Saturday evening and they were well paid for their trouble, as the concert was a success in every particular. We hope the Elwin people will not forget us when our band boys give their concert the last of this month.

Last Sabbath afternoon the Rev. Mr. Jones, pastor of the Baptist church at Cross Roads, between here and Decatur, baptized two men and eight women as the result of the revival there last winter.

The funeral of the late James Y. Taylor was held at the Madison church last Sunday afternoon and was largely attended. Between 60 and 70 carriages followed in the concourse to the grave. Rev. Bankson preached the sermon.

The majority of our farmers are through planting, some few are now cultivating some of the earlier pieces of corn.

This has been one of the earliest openings and favored with the finest weather for the farmer for many years past, and while a few have been timid about planting so early most men have taken advantage of it and by so doing have not only got a good start of the weeds, but will also be relieved from the annual spring rush.

We are reminded almost daily of the coming county convention by the appearance of the several candidates for the different offices to be filled. We hold our primary one week from next Saturday, and we hope for a full vote. It is uncertain whether our delegates will go instructed or not.

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THE ROBBERS FIRE ON THE CITIZENS,

Seriously Wounding Four Men Who Were Standing on the Sidewalk—One of the Robbers Hit and Another's Horse Shot.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 11.—The bank at Southwest City was robbed in a most daring Jesse James style yesterday afternoon. Seven men, armed with Winchesters and revolvers, mounted on fast horses, and looking as if they had come from the territory, rode into the town at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. They went at their work in a systematic way, as if they were experts at the game. Two of the robbers stationed themselves on the outside of the bank, two stood guard over the horses, while the remaining three entered the bank carrying a sack to put the money in when they got it. Between $3,000 and $4,000—all the bank contained—was taken by the robbers.

The gang, like the Daltons at Coffeyville, Kan., during the raid on the bank there which ended so disastrously for the outlaws, brought on a battle with Winchesters, but in this case the citizens got the worst of it. The robbers fired nearly 100 shots and four prominent citizens were seriously wounded. J. C. Seaborn and C. L. Seaborn were shot through the groin; Mart Pembree's leg was broken and United States Marshal S. F. Melton received a flesh wound in the leg.

After doing the job the robbers mounted their horses and rode toward the Indian nation. Several shots were fired at the fleeing bandits on the edge of the town, killing a horse and wounding one of the robers.

The man whose horse had been shot from under him at once obtained another from a farmer who was passing, and soon joined his pals. The wounded citizens were shot while standing on the sidewalk. A posse started in pursuit.

AGAIN UNDER ARMS.

The Situation in the Alabama Coal Fields Very Serious.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 10.—Five companies of state troops are again under orders to-night at their armories in expectation of the threatened attack by the strikers upon the convict stockades at the Pratt mines. The armory has been fitted up with cots, and the soldiers are sleeping on their guns, ready to march at a moment's notice. Seven hundred armed miners who were lurking in the woods near slope No. 5 at the Pratt mines last night, and making demonstrations, which lead the officials to believe they contemplated an attack upon the stockades, dispersed when they discerned that they were being watched by scouts and on hearing that the military were under arms. Forty of them, en route to their home at 3 o'clock this morning, opened fire on a coal tipple near the prison, to which the deputies stationed near by responded. The miners continued firing, and at least sixty shots were exchanged, but so far as known no one was killed, the miners returning to the woods in the several cars of coal that had been mined by convicts.

Four Brookside miners were arrested for arson to-day, it being charged that they were members of a mob that raided Horse Creek Sunday night and destroyed property with dynamite. They are in jail here and much excitement prevails at Coalside in consequence, trouble being expected. Sewell, the state's principal witness against the Horse Creek rioters, was taken from an officer who was holding him for safe keeping by fifteen armed men and spirited away. The situation is very serious.

A DESTRUCTIVE TORNADO

Visits the City of Mt. Vernon, Ind.—A Steamer Capsized and Sunk.

MT. VERNON, Ind., May 11.—A tornado visited this city about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon doing much damage to property. Trees were blown down, fences scattered to the winds and many buildings were unroofed. The storm came from the northwest and was very rapid in its flight. The steamer Eugene and barge were in the middle of the Wabash river when the storm struck them. The smokestacks and pilot house were blown away and the boat capsized and sank in twenty feet of water. The crew, twenty-five in number, saved themselves by scrambling into the barge. Capt. Henry Campbell, and the engineer went down with the boat, but managed to reach the hurricane deck and save themselves. The boat was the property of the Henderson Hominy Mill Co., and was valued at $10,000. She is a total loss; insured for $7,000.

Weckesser's block was badly damaged, the roof being blown away and timber scattered in every direction and the building flooded with water. The Knights of Pythias hall, which was in the building, was ruined by the torrent; fully insured.

At the Mt. Vernon fair grounds a damage of several thousand dollars was sustained. About 125 stalls were blown down and the timber scattered in every direction. Reports from the entire county indicate that much damage was done.

A New Healyite Newspaper to be Started.

DUBLIN, May 11.—It is announced that the prospectus of a new daily newspaper in Dublin, devoted to the interests of the Healyite faction of the Irish party, will shortly be issued. It is said that the capital for the paper has been largely subscribed by wealthy liberals.

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Owing to the dull times, I will sell sand at 75 cents per yard, and gravel at 65 cents per yard, delivered to any part of the city. Telephone 316.
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Our special sale of toilet sets will close Saturday, May 5th. If you wish a new set this spring it will pay you to buy now. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By
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THE offer of the Cramps to build war ships for England will make John Bull open his eyes, though he probably will not oped his purse. The remark of the Cramps that they will not build cheaper, but better, will not tend to placate him either.

DEWITT'S Sarsaparila is prepared for cleansing the bloodfirom impurities and disease. It does this and more. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

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ST. LOUIS capitalists have organized to build a bull ring in the City of Mexico. Why go so far away from home? The people of St. Louis might relish such a ring on the banks of the Mississippi.

IT cures blood and skin disorders. It does this quickly and permanently. Is there any good reason why you should not use DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

THE fashion of wearing primroses on April 19 in memory of Lord Beaconsfield was once very popular in the British House of Commons, but it has now fallen into desuetude. This season only a few pronounced Tories wore the badge.

THE little Queen of Holland is very popular, and she has become, if anything, even a greater favorite by being photographed in the typical peasant costume of her country.

DR. DE BOSSY, a physician of Havre, who recently celebrated his 101st birthday, has the largest practice in the French seaport. Time and patients have brought him remarkable success.

FRANK HATTON had the distinction of being, next to Alexander Hamilton, the youngest cabinet officer in the history of the United States.

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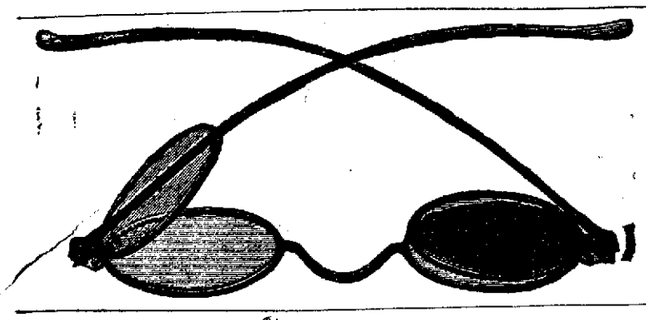

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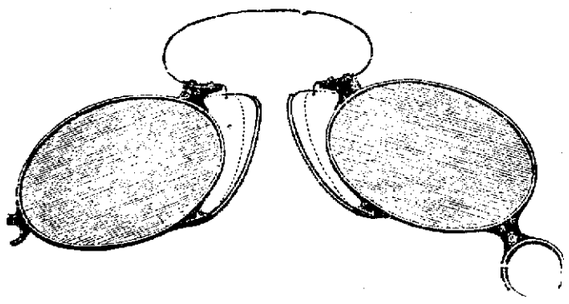

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We have a big lot of Men's Shoes, Tennis Shoes, which we sell at 38c per pair; Boys' and Ladies' Tennis Shoes at 35c per pair; Men's Working Shoes in buckle and congress, made from Milwaukee grain and kip, and all solid, at only $1 per pair.

Boys' Tan Shoes in Great Variety.

Boys' Kangola Calf Shoes, very soft, light and nice for spring and summer, at $1.58 per pair. The same shoes for youths at $1.48. These prices are an index only. We are making prices on shoes which we can afford to make in view of the fact that we bought for spot cash and have been able to take advantage of the hard times in buying. We have determined to sell shoes generally for a less margin than has ever been known in the shoe trade. Come and avail yourself of the advantages which we thus offer you, giving you everything in the shoe line at lowest prices and giving you the very best and latest of everything in the line of footwear.

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DEAL with Towne & Murphey, the South Water street grocers. They carry a full supply of table delicacies.

A. E. PARKER, of Mt. Zion, and Mrs. Sallie E. Parker, of Wheatland, were granted a marriage license to-day.

WE will make you any kind of a parlor suit you want. Patronize home industry. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. mar20.dtf

THE children and relatives of the late Mary A. Hawkins wish to return thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kindness during their late bereavement.

BACK numbers of the wonderful art work, Photographic Tour of the World, may be had at the REPUBLICAN office. Read the coupon published daily.

SPLENDID! is the expression by all who have a glance at the Everett, Sterling and Haines pianos on sale at the C. B. Prescott music house on North Water street.

THE Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will give a strawberry festival in the social rooms of the church Friday evening, May 11 Strawberries, ice cream and cake will be served. There will be music and other diversions. 10-d2

PROF. EDMONSON, the optician, will remain at Hotel Brunswick a few days longer. He has done some very creditable work in the past few weeks by making many to see perfect who have had trouble for years. Call early. Tests free at Hotel Brunswick, opposite Opera house. 9-d-9-10-12

A TEAM belonging to Officer J. C. Owen indulged in a runaway last evening on South Franklin street. They swung the wagon against an electric light pole at the Decatur street corner, and the jar broke the pole near the top, besides making a partial wreck of the vehicle. The horses broke away and traveled rapidly for the barn.

SEVERAL Urbana residents have raised a howl on account of the costumes which the students of the high school wear in their athletic practice. Threats have been made to have the boys arrested, and, in fact, a policeman was called to the grounds, but as he could see no reason for taking the young men into custody no arrests were made.

A WELL digger named Delaney, at Springfield, had a narrow escape from suffocation by the fumes following a dynamite explosion. He was digging a well and used a dynamite bomb to blast some rock. He descended into the well after the explosion. The fumes had not yet arisen to the mouth of the well, and had it not been for the prompt action of his helpers he would have met his death.

THE Y. M. C. A. Musical Club held its first meeting last evening in the association parlor and elected Cecil Jack president, Chris Curtis secretary and treasurer. The club will organize a mandolin orchestra and take up such other work as is thought best. Chris Curtis, Roy Wilson and Gus Johnson were appointed to draw up rules for the club, and they will meet again next Tuesday evening. The club promises to be a beneficial and entertaining feature of the association

On Decoration Day the Decatur Bicycle Club will give a road race which will be of special interest to all wheelmen and citizens generally. At a meeting of the club held last night this committee on the road race was appointed: Fred Mueller, chairman, C. M. Hurst, Frank Dodd, Geo. H. Post and E. P. Vail. This committee will select the course, fix the entrance fees, arrange for the prizes, appoint subcommittees to determine the handicaps, select scorer, timekeeper and make all other necessary arrangements.

FRANK MCRAE, a Decatur employe of the Armour Packing House, who is a boarder at the Huff restaurant, is in receipt of bad news from Maysville, Cal. It is that his brother, W. P. McRae, aged 28, was accidentally killed at Maysville last Saturday. The body is now on its way to Iowa for burial. Frank has written to Maysville to learn the particulars of his brother's death. When last heard from the young man was working for a railroad company in the far west.

MR. CHAS. L. BINGHAM, of Chicago, will deliver an address on Christian Citizenship next Sunday at 3:30 at Congregational church, under the auspices of Decatur Endeavor Union. Mr. Bingham comes highly recommended as an able and entertaining speaker. Everybody is invited to hear him. 11-2t

AT the close of the prayer meeting at Westminster chapel last evening the organization of the ladies' Westminster Aid Society was effected, a constitution adopted and a committee appointed to nominate officers. The society started with a membership of twenty and will meet on Thursday afternoons at 3 o'clock.

THE first concert of the season was given in Central Park last night by Goodman's Band, and despite the chilliness a large crowd was out to enjoy the music which was rendered in capital style. The concerts are to be repeated.

SOUTHERN Illinois reports that wheat will all be in head in a few days and the prospect is fair for a harvest about the middle of June. No damage is reported from insects, although there are plenty of chinch bugs.

THE Republican primaries will be held in Decatur township one week from to-night. There will be some lively hustling from now until the 18th.

Board of Education.

DECATUR, ILL., May 10, 1894.

Present—Mrs. Isabella Stafford, Mr. John Ullrich and the clerk, E. A. Gastman.

Absent—Mr. David S. Shellabarger.

The minutes of two meetings were read and approved.

The treasurer's report of receipts and expenditures for the month of April was read, compared and approved.

The superintendent's report of the receipts and expenditures of the tuition of April was approved.

The following bills were ordered paid:

O. E. Curtis & Bro.	$ 4.30
W. A. Boyd	4.30
B. M. Dennis	31.90
Abel's Carpet-Wall-Paper Co.	.35
M. F. Metz	5.30
Decatur Gas Co.	2.20
E. A. Gastman, superintendent	40.58
Morehouse, Wells & Co.	3.50
Mills Lumber Co.	2.28
The Spencer-Lehman Co.	1.52
C. L. Griswold & Co.	1.05
Central Union Telephone Co.	20.02
K. H. Roby, treasurer	47.27

The petition of pupils in the high schoool asking for a change of hours for the remainder of the year was placed on file for future consideration.

Mr. Ullrich was instructed to have plans and specifications prepared by Mr. M. G. Patterson for an addition of two rooms to the Jasper Street school.

On motion adjourned.

JOHN ULLRICH, Pres. P. T.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

Pentecost, or Whitsunday.

Next Sunday, May 13, will be Pentecost, or Whitsunday, and will be marked with impressive services in the Catholic churches. It commemorates the descent of the Holy Ghost upon the apostles, and sermons on this subject will be preached. It is believed that the descent was the first ceremony of the confirmation.

In the Jewish church, Pentecost is a solemn festival and derives its name from the fact of its being celebrated on the fiftieth day after the Feast of Pessach, or Passover. It was instituted in commemoration of the gift of the law on the fiftieth day after the departure from Egypt, and as the day on which the Jews were to offer the first fruits of the harvest. It was called the Feast of Weeks because it was celebrated seven weeks after the tenth day of Nissan, or the third day of Passover.

Human Soul in Court.

A queer and interesting case has come up in the courts of Erie county, New York. One Catharine Backers died leaving $1,000 in the bank and several adult children. That sum is bequeathed in trust to Nicholas Dashman to be used by him to pay for masses for the benefit of the souls of herself and husband. The children are now contesting the will on the point that the soul of Mrs. Backus can not receive any benefit from masses; that even if it could a soul has no standing in a temporal court, and that the trust is illegal because it is not for the benefit of any human being; that the existence of a soul is not subject to proof and that the money would not go to the soul but to some church, and that the church is not designated in the will, thus giving the trustee too much discretionary power.

GONE EAST.

Postmaster Hubbard Left for Washington City Last Night.

Five weeks ago Jerry Donahue, editor of the *Review*, was named by President Cleveland for postmaster at Decatur to succeed Dr. J. T. Hubbard, removed. Contrary to usual custom Mr. Donahue was not confirmed at the next session of the senate following the appointment, and since then there has been a tiresome feeling of uncertainty among the Democrats, particularly in the *Review* camp.

It is commonly known that a postoffice inspector visited Decatur several times over two months ago, and that he was quite active in spying around. He was here for a purpose, but the exact object of his visits was not disclosed until the telegraph announced the appointment of Donahue. He had preferred charges against Postmaster Hubbard to have him removed, but at no stage of the game up to that time was Mr. Hubbard informed as to the nature of the charges. He felt that he had performed his duties faithfully as postmaster and that he should be permitted to finish his term of four years service, ending in January, 1895. Furthermore, the postmaster desired that he should learn the nature of the charges preferred against him, and in some way the confirmation of Donahue has been held up at the request of Senator Cullom, in order that Mr. Hubbard might have a chance to answer the charges. Mr. Hubbard has been ready to retire at any moment if the removal was purely for political purposes. He has entertained no other view of the case and he has been outspoken on that point. We all know that the Democrats have wanted the office ever since Grover got in the last time. The office has been in Decatur all the time, and all that Democrats have had to do was to go and take it. As it is not customary to remove postmasters without cause, therefore it became necessary for the applicant who was most anxious to get in, and had the pull to attain a possible result, to bring about the visit of an inspector. He came, he investigated, he made copious notes, he wrote affidavits and statements on a typewriter, he sent off his letters to Washington, and then left the city; but all the time Postmaster Hubbard was kept in the dark as to what he had done or what he had not done in the management of the office.

The charges are on file in the postoffice department at Washington. Just what they are is only a matter of speculation, but it is understood that Mr. Hubbard has at last been informed as to some of the details. The hearing is near at hand. Letters received in Decatur yesterday from Senator Cullom, who has done remarkably well in holding off Donahue's confirmation so long, served to cause Mr. Hubbard to leave for Washington last night to make his defense. If the confirmation of Mr. Donahue is to be defeated the presence of Mr. Hubbard is absolutely necessary for Senator Cullom to bring it about. A final decision in the matter may be expected any day.

Another Gerrymander Suit.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 10.—At the instigation of the Populists of this state, it is announced that Judge W. S. Blair, of Jefferson county, has decided to attack the constitutionality of the senatorial apportionment acts of 1893 and 1892. He has selected the Forty-Sixth district, consisting of Jefferson, Hamilton and White counties under the apportionment of 1872, and a Populist candidate will be nominated therein and the secretary of state mandamused to compel him to recognize the 1872 apportionment as the only legal one under the present constitution. The case will be taken to the supreme court.

A Fine Season.

Farmers are very happy over the crop prospects. An unusual large acreage of oats has been put in and it never looked better than now. There has been a sufficiency of rain and the weather has been warm enough to make a fine growth. These small showers we are having are just the thing for the crops, but the rain sometimes interferes with the planting for a little while at a time.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 10, 1894.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

WHEAT CLOSE.

May, wheat, 56¾; July, 58¼; Sept., [illegible]; Dec., 61½.

CORN CLOSE.

May, 37½; July, 38¾; Sept. [illegible].

OATS CLOSE.

May, 34; June, 33¼; July, 30; Sept. [illegible].

PROVISIONS CLOSE.

Pork—May, $12.30; July, $12.[illegible].
Lard—May, $7.40, July, $7.[illegible].
Ribs—May, $6.42½; July, $6.[illegible].

Hog receipts 15,000; 2,000 less than estimate. Market 5c higher. Light $5.00@$5.[illegible]; Mixed $5.00@$5.25. Heavy $4.90@$5.30. Rough [illegible] $5.30. Estimate 12,000.

Cattle receipts 6,000; market steady.

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS (CAR LOTS).

Wheat all grades, 58. Estimated [illegible].
Corn all grades, 90. Estimated [illegible].
Oats all grades, 100. Estimated [illegible].

NEW YORK OPENING.

Wheat—July, 61½; Sept., [illegible]; Dec., [illegible]—May, —; July, 44½; Sept., [illegible]; —; June, 37¾.

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Cargoes off coast, [illegible] not much enqiry; corn nothing offering, [illegible] passage and for shipment, wheat and corn [illegible].

LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.—Wheat spot [illegible] quiet but steady; corn slow.

Minneapolis and Duluth got 255 cars of [illegible] to-day against 172 same day last year.

The total clearances of wheat and [illegible] were 390,000 bushels.

MARRIED.

In Decatur, at 123 North Morgan street, [illegible] 10, by Rev. J. A. F. Klug, Charles Schenck [illegible] Miss Emma E. Purdy, both of Decatur.

There were fifty friends at the wedding, [illegible] an elegant repast was served. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Purdy, [illegible] attired in a light drab gown with trimmings [illegible] white silk and lace. Many handsome gifts were received by the bride. Mr. Schenck is a machinist at the C. B. & Q. works.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hiser, in Oakley township, Rev. Z. T. Hatfield, May 9, William Stare [illegible] Long Creek, and Miss Laura Hiser.

The wedding march was played by Miss [illegible] Bowman and the attendants were Edward [illegible] ham and Miss Ida Stare. The guests came from a distance to attend the wedding, among those who partook of the fine repast were Rev. Z. T. Hatfield and two daughters, Mrs. [illegible] Myrtle, Mr. and Mrs. Stare, parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Hiser, parents of the bride; P. A. Shambaugh and J. J. Garver, [illegible] do; William Hiser, Mr. Lehman, J. H. [illegible] Revis, George Hiser, George Hirsh, Mr. [illegible] and their wives; Mesdames Solomon, [illegible] Jacobs, of Decatur; Misses Ida, Alice and [illegible] Stare, Lena and Alice Bowman, Mattie [illegible] Effie and Bertha Hiser, Matilda and Cora [illegible] of Decatur; Birdie, Lena and Edith [illegible] Effie, Eva, Pearl and Bertha Hull, Maud [illegible] Rebecca Durham, Gertie Lehman, Emma [illegible] Frank Simon, Hervey; S. T. Jacobs, John [illegible] Orville Hiser, Alonzo, Theodore, Byron [illegible] Harry Shambaugh, Harry, Bert, Charles [illegible] Flood Stare, Robert and William Durham, [illegible] Lichtenberger, William Bowman, [illegible] Elmer Jacobs, Christopher Hirsh, [illegible] Borcher.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the several townships of Macon county are requested to select delegates to attend a county convention to be held at the court house in Decatur, on

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1894,

at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination the following candidates, to-wit:

One candidate for County Judge.
One Candidate for County Treasurer.
One Candidate for County Clerk.
One Candidate for County Sheriff.
One Candidate for County Superintendent of Schools,

to be voted for at the election to be held on Tuesday, November 6th, 1894; also to select delegates to each of the following conventions, to-wit: To the State Convention to be held at Springfield on the 25th day of July; to the Congressional Senatorial conventions, to be hereafter called and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the convention.

The representation in said convention is based upon the Republican vote cast for President Harrison in 1892, being one delegate for every fifty or fractional twenty five votes or majority. Each district or township will be entitled to the following delegates, to-wit:

Decatur—First district	4	delegates
" Second "	4	"
" Third "	4	"
" Fourth "	2	"
" Fifth "	5	"
" Sixth "	4	"
" Seventh "	4	"
" Eighth "	4	"
" Ninth "	4	"
" Tenth "	2	"
" Eleventh district	2	"
" Twelfth "	5	"
" Thirteenth "	3	"
" Fourteenth "	3	"
Austin	2	"
Blue Mound	3	"
Friends Creek	4	"
Hickory Point	2	"
Hardistown	2	"
Illiol	3	"
Long Creek	3	"
S. Macon	4	"
Maroa, 1st district	2	"
" 2d "	2	"
Milam	1	"
Mt. Zion	3	"
Niantic	2	"
Oakley	2	"
Pleasant View	3	"
S. Wheatland	2	"
Whitmore	3	"
Total	93	

The primaries in the district of Decatur township and Whitmore township will be held on Friday, May 18, at such hour as determined by their respective chairmen. The primaries in the other townships to be held on Saturday, May 19, as prescribed by their respective chairmen.

All Republicans are earnestly requested to attend their respective primaries in order that full expression may be had in the selection of delegates.

Each district and township is requested to present the name of a member of the County Central Committee. The new committee will meet immediately after the convention for the purpose of reorganizing for the campaign.

By order of the County Republican Central Committee.

R. P. LYTLE, Chairman.
JAMES M. LEE, Secretary.

Decatur Tp.—1st District—C. N. Twadell.
" 2d " W. A. Hofmann.
" 3d " W. C. Finck.
" 4th " Harry Hamsher.
" 5th " H. K. Midkiff.
" 6th " D. L. Vigus.
" 7th " L. A. Mills.
" 8th " J. H. McCoy.
" 9th " E. G. Allen.
" 10th " Frank Robinson.
" 11th " James Record.
" 12th " Henry Sneed.
" 13th " John Williams.
" 14th " C. L. Jones.
Austin Tp.—A. B. McKee.
Blue Mound Tp.—J. A. Barnes.
Friends Creek Tp.—F. H. Thomas.
Harristown Tp.—J. B. Camp.
Hickory Point Tp.—J. H. McKinney.
Illiol Tp.—W. W. Kyle.
Long Creek Tp.—R. P. McDonald.
Macon Tp.—W. H. Willoughby.
Maroa Tp.—1st Dist.—T. N. Lovett.
" —2d " —C. F. Emery.
Milam Tp.—J. V. Moody.
Mount Zion Tp.—C. M. Fletcher.
Niantic Tp.—A. W. Wells.
Oakley Tp.—G. W. Dilling.
Pleasant View Tp.—W. H. Bean.
Wheatland Tp.—John Ward.
Whitmore Tp.—James Lichtenberger.

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FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1894.

THE world still wonders what the Democrats meant by "tariff reform."

IT is less than six months until the people will have a chance to pass judgement at the ballot box upon the party in power.

THE recent municipal elections in Indiana show the state to be at least 35,000 Republican, in spite of Voorhees and Gresham.

BOSS CROCKER evidently sees the approaching storm, and proposes to either retire from the directorship of Tammany or divide the responsibilities.

THE motto of the Populists is, "Keep in the middle of the road." Had Coxey observed this motto he would not have been fined for walking on the grass.

Do you want to see something that would puzzle the wisdom of a Solomon? Look at the Democratic platform on "trusts" and the "robber tariff" and then at the Democratic tariff bill as it now is.

ENGLAND is nearer the point of favoring an international bi metallic agreement than she has ever been before. Her recent experience in India has had a modifying effect upon her. Should she finally consent to such an agreement it will be made, and not only Europe but America will be relieved of the ever harassing question of the relation of silver to gold as a money metal.

PRESIDENT DEBS of the American Railway Union denies the statement that the Great Northern was not living up to the agreement with the men. He says that according to the agreement the management is not required to take back men who are guilty of criminally destroying or damaging property during the strike. No one can consistently object to such an arrangement, as no man in a strike, no matter what the circumstances under which it may be done, ought to expect reinstatement by a firm or corporation whose property he wantonly damaged.

THE older citizens can recall the terrible condition the country was in in 1861, both financially and sectionally, when the Republicans took control of the government, and how many who aided in producing those conditions prophesied that all was lost; and yet the civilization represented by that party brought order out of chaos and gave the country an era of prosperity such as the world never saw before, in any country, and did it, too, by tramping over the protests of the Democratic party every foot of the way. What the Republican party has once done it can and will do again. Its mission is to save the country from the evil that always follows in the wake of Democratic power. It is the only party the country can appeal to in its distress.

SENATOR ROGER Q. MILLS, of Texas author of the Mills bill and general free trade advocate, expressed his disgust with his party in a speech in the senate Wednesday. He is disgusted with the condition of the tariff bill as the senate committee has arranged it. Among the comparisons he made as to his relation to the action of his party was that a few days ago he was between the devil and the deep sea, the McKinley bill being the devil. Since that time he said a change had come over the situation. He was now nearer the devil and had not so much sea room as before, because he now found that the bill before the senate as modified by the amendments introduced, had no resemblance to the Wilson bill and ought to be called the Gorman or the Brice bill. No man could torture him into the admission that this bill was a response to Democratic pledges.

Mr. Mills ought to be authority on this subject, and when the little fellows around the country say that the senate bill is in any sense a measure calculated to help the country, they should be reminded of what this Democrat has said. The measure proposed is a fraud from beginning to end and must prove disastrous to the country, and therefore ought to be defeated; and the Democrats who have the honesty and courage to protect the business of the country by aiding the Republicans in defeating it, will within eight years, be the most popular man in the Democratic party. No such trifling with the business of the country as is involved in this measure should be allowed, and the attempt to doctor it further and then pass it, should, according to the testimony of Mr. Mills, be defeated.

Democratic Inconsistency.

The Democratic party, in every campaign since 1872, has advocated a free trade tariff on the stump. In 1892 it emphatically declared in its platform that protection was unconstitutional and a robbery. In 1888 it passed in the lower house of congress a free trade tariff bill, in which ad valorem rates were the rule. This bill the Democratic national convention which met that year endorsed. When the present congress met the house passed the Wilson bill, which was a free trade tariff bill embracing ad valorem instead of specific duties. When this bill went to the senate the finance committee put all free raw materials, which characterized the Wilson bill except wool, on the dutiable list, thus completely destroying the principle of the bill. They then changed the ad valorem duties to specific duties largely, and also increased the duties in a great many schedules from free trade duties to unconstitutional protective duties. With these changes, which were very many, the bill was reported to the senate. After being discussed in that body for several weeks, the same committe agreed upon 400 changes in their own bill in the direction of protection in spots and specific rates.

In view of these facts, who can say that the Democratic party knows anything about the operations of a tariff, or that it has any settled views on this greatest of all questions, and yet the followers of that party at every stage of these shifts declared that the principles of the party were set forth in the bill, and that, in case it became a law, it would benefit the country. Such a party should not be entrusted with legislation upon this subject, and for that reason they ought not be allowed to pass a tariff bill.

Show Them Up.

New York *Press:* Aggressive Republicans in the United States senate have taken the right course in preparing for a full exposure of the relations between the sugar trust and certain Democratic senators. The history of the sugar schedules of the administration tariff bill is a record of shameful scandal. The charge is openly made and nowhere authoritatively denied that certain Democratic senators, in return for their subserviency in allowing the trust to frame the sugar schedules, have been enabled to make large fortunes by speculation in sugar stocks. The course of the stock market and the desperate anxiety of some of the Democrats to conceal the nature of changes in the patchwork bill strongly tend to confirm this conclusion. Republican senators should fearlessly turn the search light of truth on this chapter of disgraceful jobbery. The people are entitled to know the facts about the conduct of Democratic senators who have retracted all their previous professions and remorselessly sacrificed the popular interests to the demands of a great trust.

Spirit of Anarchy In It.

Galveston *Daily News:* There can hardly be a question that, in view of the capture of the name and organic framework of the old Democratic party by the most radical enemies to its principles, the same thousands, east, north, south and west, would conclude, in the general vein of Senator Smith's conclusions, that it were better even to take the chances measurably of misrule at the hands of the Republican party than to stay with the conditions moving with relentless steps to abysmal catastrophe in "the communism of the Populists and Socialists." The Democratic party had better die and blow away than to keep within its ranks and nurse into vigorous life the insidious spirit of communism and anarchy.

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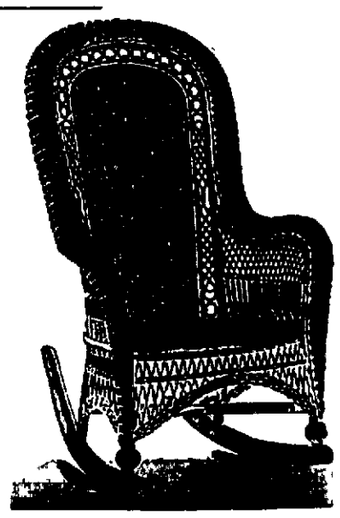

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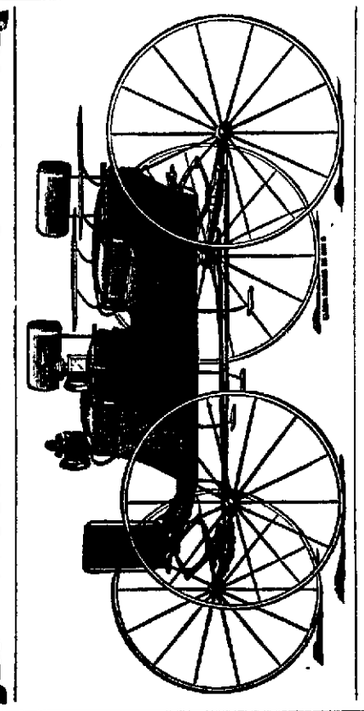

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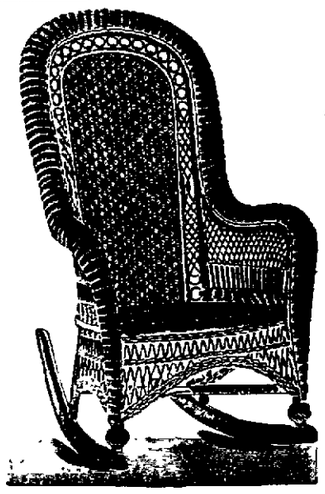

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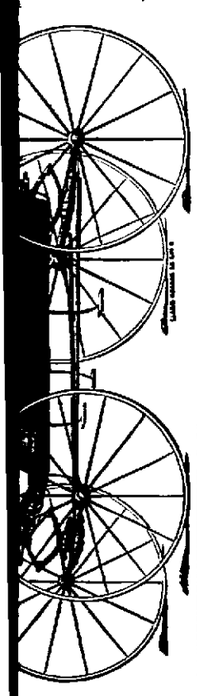

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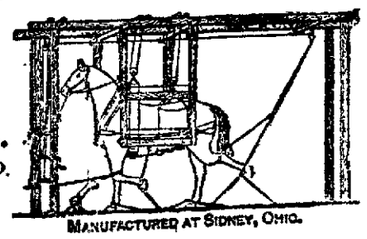

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FOR a good meal or lunch go to the Singleton Restaurant. mar8-d1m

ON Sunday the Sells Bros.' circus will pass through Decatur from Quincy to Danville over the Wabash road.

OFFICERS in Clinton have arrested four horse thieves within a week.

GO TO Henry Bros.' bakery for all kinds of cakes, pies, etc. sept26-dtf

THE meeting of the state bicycle league will occur at Quincy July 3d, 4th and 5th.

CREATES health, creates strength, creates vigor; DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

TELEPHONE to Philip Komper, 757 North Water street, and order choice table supplies.

CALL at Dr. Hoskins' new dental office in Grand opera house block, ground floor. jan3-d&wtf

THE Peru electric railway has been compelled to shut down. Owing to the miners' strike there is no coal.

FRESH garden seeds in bulk at the Spencer & Lehman company's. feb6-d3m

THE Republican primary meeting in Whitmore township will be held on Friday, May 18th, at Orcana, as is stated in the regular call.

GO TO the Spencer & Lehman company for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps and pump repairs. feb6-d&wtf

ANOTHER case of smallpox has been discovered at Freeport. It was supposed the disease had been wiped out.

W. A. HOLMAN, professional auctioneer of all kinds of property. Ten years' experience. Terms reasonable. Orders by mail, or left at the city clerk's office, promptly attended to. 9dtf.

LET us remind you that now is the time to take DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It will do you good. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

MISS FLORENCE KELLY, inspector of Illinois factories, reports having found in five months 6576 boys and girls under 16 at work.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager, L. Chodat and learn how. dec16-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

THE spelling contest at the Grand Army hall is to be a go. The W. R. C. ladies have accepted the challenge extended by Durham Post. Look out for fun.

QUITE cool this morning, caused by a cloud burst yesterday in Minnesota and rains generally. There was a fall of over 25 degrees in the temperature last evening.

MANY women, who were terrible sufferers from periodical headaches or other nervous troubles peculiar to women, have found relief in Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer. Sold by C. H. Dawson.

DR. T. S. HOSKINS, the veteran dentist is now in his new office, ground floor, in Grand Opera House Block, South Water street, ready for business. Improved appliances; satisfaction guaranteed. jan3-d&wtf

THE Cerro Gordo Alumni society entertained their friends at Lyons' opera house Tuesday evening. About eighty sat down to an elegant supper served under the direction of Carl Evans. Toasts were responded to by Prof. A. L. Starr, A. C. Edie and others. Harry Cripe represented the class of 94, and Mrs. Hattie Irwin was poet. The Decatur Mandolin orchestra furnished the music.

THE Spencer & Lehman company have the exclusive agency for the celebrated Troy Carriage company's surreys, also for the Henney Buggy company's full line of goods. A full assortment of carriages, buggies, road wagons, etc., constantly on hand. Prices cheap and work warranted. feb6-d5m

SOMETHING wrong when you tire too easily. Some thing wrong when the skin is not clear and smooth. Something wrong when the blood is impure. Everything right when you take DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

A Costly Levy.

The monotony of life was effectually broken on South Park street last evening, and incidentally a large amount of household furniture shared the same fate. One of the lady residents of that thoroughfare had invested in household goods, and the same was being delivered when the matinee opened to a crowded house. The team attached to the wagon took fright and proceeded to leave for parts unknown. A large mirror shot into the air and fell in front of Brenneman's liquor store. Dressers, beds, etc., were scattered at intervals along South Franklin street, all more or less demoralized. It is said that a lawsuit will come up from the grand wreck of matter. The furniture was the property of Harriett Mumaugh, and had beef levied upon by Constable Connard to satisfy a claim for $25. Harriett will endeavor to make somebody pay for the full value of the furniture.

Death of W. B. Burris.

W. B. Burris died this morning at 2:30 o'clock at his home, 447 North Union street. The deceased had been sick for two months past and his death was caused by an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Burris was formerly proprietor of the confectionery stand at the north end of Central block. He was a member of Easterly Camp, No. 1626, M. W. of A. The deceased leaves a wife and four children to mourn his death.

The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church, Rev. Cooley officiating.

WOODMEN, ATTENTION!

All members of Easterly Camp, No. 1626, M. W. of A., are requested to meet at their hall on Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of our departed brother, the late W. B. Burris. All visiting Woodmen are requested to attend.

J. H. KINGSLEY, V. C.
W. H. BLACK, Clerk.

The Turn Fest.

The first grand Turn Fest ever held in Springfield will take place at Krous' park June 24, 25 and 26. The program for the three days has been completed by the technical manager, Curt Toll, of Decatur. Saturday, June 23, will be a day of reception of visiting Turners. Sunday, June 24, and Monday, June 25, will be days of festivity, and Tuesday, June 26, will be a day of sight seeing, picnicing, etc. Turners from all over the state will be there. The exercises of the day will be held at Krous' park. The program is a varied one, the exercises consisting of addresses, drills of several descriptions, athletic exercises, contests and awarding prizes, music of different kinds, concerts and choruses, dancing recitations, declamations, and a grand ball at Central Music hall at the close.

Bendure for Sheriff.

In this issue appears the formal announcement of Jesse E. Bendure, the present coroner, seeking the Republican nomination for the office of sheriff. Mr. Bendure has a wide personal acquaintance in the city and country, and is widely known as the coroner of this county and sexton of Greenwood cemetery. He has been solicited by many friends to come out for sheriff, and in obedience to their wishes, and because he wants the nomination, he submits his name to the consideration of the convention. Mr. Bendure has made a very acceptable coroner, and he would make a good sheriff. If nominated he would be elected by a handsome majority over any candidate the Democrats might name.

Card from R. P. Lytle.

To the Republicans of Macon County: Since announcing my name as a candidate for county Treasurer, I find there is a general feeling that the treasurership should be conceded to the country. I recognize the force of this position and as a loyal Republican cheerfully acquiesce and therefore withdraw my name from further consideration for treasurer. Thanking my friends for their proffered assistance, and pledging the nominee my earnest support, I remain yours for Republican victory.

R. P. LYTLE.

Decatur, Ill., May 11, 1894.

Stocks of Corn in Illinois.

The Illinois state department of agriculture has tabulated reports from the various counties of the state, showing the amount of old corn on hand up to May 1, 1894. The report shows that there were in the hands of the producers in Illinois 41,000,000 bushels, as compared with the 45,000,000 bushels on the same date in 1893. The season has been very favorable for planting, and there is a much larger acreage sown now than usual at this time of the year.

Anniversary.

Last evening a party of relatives and friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin at their home, corner of Green and Monroe streets. The affair was arranged in honor of the first anniversary of their marriage. There was quite a company of friends present and they enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Refreshments were served.

Lecture.

Rev. E. B. Randle, of Springfield, delivered a fine lecture last night at Grace M. E. church before a large audience. The subject was "The Future of America, It's Perils and Promises."

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

The Crops.

The temperature of the past seven days has been above the normal throughout the state; at Chicago the daily excess was about 10 degrees, at Springfield 6 degrees, at Cairo 8 degrees. A frost in the northern counties on the 4th, but no damage done. The percentage of sunshine was generally below a seasonable average. The precipitation for the week was in excess of a seasonable amount, was well distributed and beneficial to all vegetation. Wheat is reported in fine condition, with prospects of a good yield. While a number of correspondents report the presence of chinch bugs, none report any damage as yet to the wheat. Corn planting is being pushed, and a considerable acreage has been planted. The work has been retarded somewhat by the heavy rains in some of the southern counties. Some of the early planted is up, and is reported in fine condition, having a good stand. In some sections the cut worm is reported damaging this crop. Oats in some parts of the central and southern counties, are doing well, but the reports generally indicate that the crop is only in fair condition. In the northern counties, however, it is reported generally in good condition. The louse has made its appearance in some fields in the vicinity of Belleville, St. Clair county. Rye is still in fine condition, and in many localities is beginning to head. Meadows and pastures have made excellent growth during the past week. There is but slight change in the prospect for fruit, peaches will be a failure, apples, cherries and plums promise much better than was anticipated. Strawberries are being shipped from Alexander county. Locusts have made their appearance in the vicinity of Dix, and Jefferson counties. Potatoes are coming along nicely. Gardens have also improved greatly since last week. Worms are injuring fruit trees in Bond county.

Amusements.

The Eunice Goodrich company gave a fine performance at the Grand last night, producing the sensational comedy, "Mazie, the Romp." To-night the domestic drama in five acts, "Fanchon, the Cricket," will be presented with the entire company in the cast. Specialties will be introduced by Eunice Goodrich, Pottle's Baby and Allen Wightman. At the Saturday afternoon matinee the roaring farce comedy, "In School and Out," will afford fine entertainment for both old and young. The admissions will be 10 cents for children and 20 cents for adults, admitting to any part of the house. A prize of $5 will be given to the school child composing the largest number of words out of the letters in the name "Goodrich." A prize of $15 will be given away Saturday night to the person holding the lucky number.

Literary Society.

The Young Ladies' Literary Society held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon. Business pertaining to open meeting was transacted. The following program was given.

Music.....Stella VanHall
Medley.....Carrie Record
Debate—Resolved, That suicide should be taken as an evidence of courage, and not of cowardice.

The affirmative was sustained by Misses Stella Williams and Mary Tolladay and the negative by Jennie Bishop and Jessie Darling.

The judges, Miss Hill, Messrs. Imboden and Mann, decided in favor of the negative.

Lord Pala in Town.

Lord Ratna Pala, who is the second Buddhist priest converted in India through the instrumentality of the Salvation Army, arrived in Decatur to-day, and will preach to-night at the Salvation Army meeting at the barracks on Merchant street. Capt. Mackey invites everybody to come out and give Lord Pala a hearing. He will interest, entertain and instruct all who come. The visitor will appear in his native costume.

Business and Shorthand Course.
Brown's Decatur Business College offers excellent advantages for the summer term. Students now enrolling. Special rates till June 1st. Call or write for information. may5-d&1w

RUDY'S PILE SUPPOSITORY is guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipation, or money refunded. 50 cents per box. Send stamp for circular and free sample to MARTIN RUDY, Lancaster, Pa. For Sale by W. A. Dixon & Co., Druggists, Decatur, Ill.

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FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1894.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Henry McClellan is on the sick list.

Dr. J. D. Moore is in Clinton visiting friends

Miss Alice Bering is visiting friends in Lincoln.

Davis Brown is in Macon to day on business

Samuel Diller returned yesterday from Albany, Texas.

Dr. O. T. Eddy now has an office in Columbia block.

H. H. Beadles is quite sick at his home St. Louis avenue

Joseph Tidrow, the auctioneer, went to Maroa to-day on business.

Miss Lizzie Ritscher, of Taylorville, is in the city visiting her sister.

Mrs. W. R. Bresie is in Springfield visiting Mrs. Charles Thatcher.

Attorney C. C. Lefourgee has gone to Oswego, Kan., on a business trip

Mrs. T. W Douglas returned to day from a visit with relatives in Peoria.

Miss Anna Rainey is at Taylorville visiting her friend, Miss Lettie Ricks.

E. P. Smith, of Newton, is in the city visiting his son, Attorney O. W. Smith

Mrs. Anderson, of Newtonville, Ohio, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. I A Buckingham.

Mrs. Hess, who has been in the city visiting Mrs. J. R. Moore, left yesterday for her home in Pinlo.

W. P. Waggoner, of Springfield, arrived in the city to day, being called here by the serious illness of his mother in law, Mrs. Stephens.

Dr. W. B. Hostetler has returned from Galveston, Texas, where he has been attending the annual National Convention of Railway Surgeons.

Rev D H. Cooley, of Chicago, who has filled the pulpit at the First Baptist church during the absence of a regular pastor, will spend this evening in the city and will depart for Decatur to-morrow afternoon where he will preach Sunday.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

Settled at Staunton.

STAUNTON, Ill., May 10.—The coal mining situation shows no change and everything is now dependent upon action to be taken by the men who have stood by the Consolidated Coal company and worked Shafts 5 and 7. The full forces of these two mines worked to day without hinderance. To night, according to agreement between State President Crawford of the miners, the leaders of the visiting strikers, and the managers of the mines, the men at work will take a vote on whether they will stay in or go. In accordance with this decision the visiting strikers have left town and there is now no trouble apprehended

Fern Leaf Entertainment.

The ladies of Fern Leaf Temple No. 18 will give an entertainment Friday evening, May 11, at the castle hall of Chevalier Bayard lodge, Knights of Pythias, to which all are cordially invited. This program will be observed:

Address.... .. ..Mrs. J. E. King
Vocal Solo.....Mr. R. W. Chilson
Violin Solo.. . . . Mr. Leo Heilbrun
Recitation.. Mrs. Alma Morgan-Kinney
Piano Solo..... . . ..Mrs. Horine
Vocal Solo.. ... .Mr. C. N. Brown
Recitation..... . . ..Mr. Will Carter

Refreshments will be served during he evening. The admission will be 25 cents, with no extra charge for refreshments. 10 d2

Buried in Decatur.

Miss Conroy died yesterday morning at 8 o'clock at her home in Bement. The deceased was 63 years of age and was an aunt of Mrs. Pat Dillenunty, of this city. Her death was caused by stomach trouble The remains were brought to this city to day and interred at the Catholic Cemetery

The I., D. & S. Road Sold.

The Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield railroad running from Indianapolis to Decatur, was sold at trustee's sale yesterday at New York to George Sherman, representing the first mortgage bondholders. He offered $1,000,000. This was the only bid and the railroad was knocked down to him.

ALL kinds fresh fish, dressed poultry, fresh oysters. PEARL OYSTER & FISH CO.

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WILL ARRIVE NEXT WEEK.

The Body of Rev. C. E. Torrey May Reach Decatur Wednesday.

Mrs. C. E. Torrey will leave Riverside, Cal., to morrow with the remains of her husband, and she will probably arrive in Decatur on Wednesday. There has been no information received since the telegram came Wednesday night announcing the death. Possibly a committee from the Baptist church will meet Mrs. Torrey at some point in the west on her homeward journey when it is learned where she can be met.

It is the custom of funeral directors in California not to permit the removal of a body when it is to be shipped a long distance, under three days after death. The undertakers observe this rule that they may be satisfied that the body is perfectly embalmed and can be sent to destination with safety. Therefore it will be impossible for Mrs. Torrey to start on her long journey before Saturday.

The members of the church here will be unable to make any definite arrangements for the funeral until a conference is had with the widow. The place of burial will be decided upon by Mrs. Torrey, as well as all other matters pertaining to the interment.

TELEGRAM OF SYMPATHY.

This forenoon the officers of the Baptist church, in the name of the membership and congregation, sent a telegram of condolence to Mrs. Torrey at Riverside. The message was as follows:

DECATUR, ILL., May 10, 94.

MRS VESTER TORREY, Riverside, Cal

We extend our sincere sympathy while passing through the dark waters of affliction, but God will ever sustain those who put their trust in him. Psalms 2 11—2 Psalms 23 4 Isaiah 41 10

MEMBERS OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

In addition to the above the trustees of the church telegraphed Mrs. Torrey a letter of credit for five hundred dollars

TOWNSHIP BONDS SOLD

They Brought a Bonus of Nearly $720—Bought by Harris & Co.

At the recent election held in Decatur township it was voted to refund the Decatur and Monticello railroad bonds, $25,000 in amount, which have been drawing 8 per cent interest for many years, the bonds on the proposition submitted to draw 5 per cent The town board took the necessary steps to sell the bonds and advertised for bidders This was the day to consider the bids and they were opened at the office of the town clerk, H. C. Wallace. The highest bid submitted was made by N W Harris & Co., of Chicago, the same firm which got the court house and filter bonds. The premium offered by Harris & Co. over five other bidders was $717 50, and they got the bonds. The different bids were as follows

Lambrecht, Cleveland, Ohio .	$267 50
W. J. Hayes & Son, Cleveland, Ohio	625 00
Spitzer & Co., Toledo, Ohio .	305.00
N. W. Harris & Co., Chicago .	717.50
Farson, Leach & Co., Chicago	100 00
E. C. Jones, New York. . . .	500.00

It was a very good sale, and the saving to the township will be no small amount.

Political Notes.

The Populists have begun proceedings to test the constitutionality of both the apportionment acts of 1882 and 1893.

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The Democratic congressional convention for the 16th district at Jacksonville, on the 479th ballot, nominated Finis E. Downing, of Virginia, for congress yesterday.

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R. L. McKinley, of Paris, was nominated yesterday for the senate by the Democrats of the 43d district. G. W. Lecrone of Effingham county, and Polk Brisco of Clark, were nominated for the house.

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The Democratic county convention of Will county yesterday ended in a row, one faction under the lead of P. C Haley withdrawing from the hall.

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The Republican senatorial convention in the 14th district yesterday nominated Edward C. Hawley of Kane county, and Charles P. Bryan of DuPage county, for representatives.

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Col. W. R. Morrison has by letter announced to his friends in this state that he will not permit the use of his name as a candidate for United States senator.

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The Republicans of the 22d congressional district held their convention yesterday and nominated Geo. W. Smith by acclamation to succeed himself.

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Henry Wulff, of Cook county, Republican candidate for the nomination for state treasurer, is trying to get instructions from that county for a solid delegation.

Sales of Real Estate.

C E. Schroll to F. W. Caldwell, deed to lot 27, block 1, in Solana Place—$1.

R. H. Carter to Catherine Carter, deed to 50 feet off the west side lot 9 in assessor's subdivision of part of 16, 16, 2 east—$500.

Anna H. Mills to Mary Tibulski, deed to lot 6, block 1, Hill's subdivision of part of 12, 16, 2 east—$325.

Go to Grass
for wall paper. Prices always the lowest.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars.
mar25-dtf

MARRIED IN INDIANA.

Elopement of Guy Conklin and Miss May Condell.

This forenoon the grandmother of the bride, Mrs. W. J. Condell, received a telegram from Jeffersonville, Ind., conveying the intelligence that Guy T. Conklin and Miss May Condell were married at that place to day, and that the couple had gone to St. Louis.

CONFIRMATION.

Subsequently this special telegram reached the REPUBLICAN office:

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., May 11.—Guy Conklin and Miss Manette Condell, an eloping couple from Decatur, Macon county, Ill., arrived in the city this morning and were married by Magistrate House The couple left Decatur yesterday morning and traveled a distance of 300 miles by rail. The groom is a son of Mrs. H. C. Conklin and the bride a daughter of the late Charles Condell.

The above announcement will be quite a surprise to the friends and acquaintances of the couple. They first became acquainted three years ago while attending the Marietta street school and have since been keeping company together. Both are under age. Yesterday they managed to get out of the city, and to day they were married. They may return to Decatur to reside.

FIRED INTO THE TRAIN,

But Fled Before the Express Messenger's Gun.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 11.—The eastbound express on the Kansas City, Memphis & Birmingham railroad was fired into Wednesday night near Horse Creek, Ala., where the miners' riot occurred Sunday night The engineer stopped the train, when two men attempted to climb up on the tender. The express messenger seeing them, opened fire from his ear, and they fled to the woods. The men did not return the fire. It is thought to have been an attempts to rob the train, the nerve of the robbers failing when the messenger began shooting at them. Great excitement prevailed among the passengers, two women fainting There is no clue to the identity of the robbers.

The Armor-Plate Investigation.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 11.—The investigation of the armor-plate charges against the Carnegie steel company was resumed at Homestead at 11 30 o'clock yesterday morning. Capt. Sampson stated that the committee will endeavor to complete their work to-day, as they must be in Washington to-morrow Should the work of investigation remain unfinished, the committee will return Monday and continue the examination of witnesses until all have been heard

All parties to the investigation continue to refuse information for publication. The published story that several members of the United States secret service are employed in the Carnegie armor mill is regarded here as only one of the many guesses made as to what is being done about the investigation.

The Greater Part of Norway, Me., Burned.

NORWAY, Me., May 11.—Two-thirds of the town was laid waste by Wednesday's fire and many of the people who could not find shelter in the two hotels which were saved or unburned dwelling houses, spent the night in tents or shelters made of cloth from the stores, or sheets from beds. The total loss is over $100,000. The losers number over thirty and include nearly every business man in the town.

Turning the Tables.

BUENOS AYRES, May 11.—James Spencer Balfour, the absconding manager of the Liberal Building and Loan association of London, who has been under arrest at Argentina pending extradition proceedings, has made a demand for his complete liberty and will claim damages for illegal arrest.

For the Second Time President.

LIMA, May 11.—Gen Andre Avelino Caceres has been elected president of Peru. Gen. Caceres was president from 1886 to 1890.

Business and Shorthand Course.
Brown's Decatur Business College offers excellent advantages for the summer term. Students now enrolling. Special rates till June 1st. Call or write for information. may5-d&1w

Extravagance

May lie in paying too much for a thing.
If you pay less for Ice Cream than we ask you get an inferior quality. That is poor economy.
If you pay more you pay too much, for we sell the best there is.

A. J. WOOD,
142 Merchant st.

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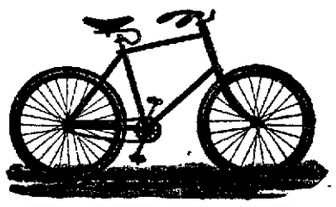

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SEE 'EM.
LYTLE & ECKELS
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DRY GOODS & CARPET CO
Importers & Retailers. Decatur, Ill.

SPECIALS FOR TO-MORROW.

50 dozen Misses' Sailor Hats in brown and navy blue, straw rim, satin crown, worth 75c, at 39c.

100 Boys' and Children's Bicycle Hats and Caps, formerly sold, 30, 35 and 40c; sale price, 25c.

50 doz. Ladies' plain white and colored Chemisettes, 25c.

75 dozen Ladies' Silk Waists in light colors, also black and white stripes and polka dots, formerly sold at $3.98 and 4.98; special price $2.98.

100 Duck Suits worth $3.00, for 1.98.

75 " " " $3.50, for 2.25.

Mosquetaire Kid Gloves.

8 button length Glace Mousquetaire in dark green, red, tan, black and navy blue; regular price $1.25, at 87c.

8 button length suede Mosquetaire in eminence, tan, gray, pearl, red, navy, green and opera; regular price $2.00, now 98c.

8 button length Glace Mosquetaire in navy, gray, tan, red, green and operas; regular price $2.25, now $1.39.

The above are all warranted and fitted to the hand.

1,000 PARASOLS,

98c, $1.25, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50.

75 dozen boys' fast black Bicycle Hose, double knee, sizes 6 to 8½, 19c pair.

200 dozen Ladies' fast black Seamless Hose, 2 pair 25c.

25 dozen Children's Russet Shades, two thread, sizes 6 to 8½, 15 to 25c pair.

150 Ladies' Vests, 5c each.

200 Ladies' Vests, tape arm and neck, 12½c each.

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BARGAIN COLUMN.

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WANTED.

WANTED Every man, woman and child in Decatur to win wealth and happiness by getting interested in a new and honorable business opportunity now offered. Address Stinson

WANTED To notify the public that I have moved my office to 157½ East Main street, west door store. I have more [illegible] to loan on real estate and houses to rent. J. W. BARTH

WANTED Laundry work by the piece or dozen; shirts a specialty. Prices reasonable and work turned out in first class manner. Call or address Mrs. Robert H. Cupp, 117 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. may10-d6

WANTED To each household in Decatur a good photograph free and will pay a different one to more than 1,000 in North Water street

WANTED Salesmen at once, only those with means to introduce our new climbing Japanese Fruit Trees. Address W. M. Stowe, [illegible] Decatur, Ill.

WANTED Man to work on farm on North Broadway. Address "Farm," care REPUBLICAN office.

WANTED A house to jack level, will be the best at cure of it, will make a [illegible] Enquire at [illegible] South Water street

WANTED [illegible] JOHNSON

WANTED We require the services of a competent man in this city to work for us. Address F. W. WILLARD, 151 West Main street

WANTED To rent a good [illegible] North Main street

WANTED [illegible] Work for board. Inquire at [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] Work for board. Inquire at [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] Wilson [illegible] North Water street. Come to the first [illegible] Hose [illegible] and delivered free. [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] for original Bulldog [illegible]

WANTED The ladies to know that we have the best scissors. Inspect them. We [illegible] on this market

WANTED The people to know that I can sell [illegible] goods lower than ever. New goods [illegible] that will be sold to sell cheaper than [illegible] elsewhere. Call and you will be convinced. M. WILLIAMS, 203 North Main st

WANTED You to know that we are prepared to repair the [illegible] without incurring any loss whatever. [illegible] guaranteed, charges reasonable. [illegible] Blain & Co., Library block

WANTED You to know that A. M. Dillon, 520 East Main street, is making a specialty of neat and latest improved pumps. The most complete stock of pumps in Central Illinois. Prompt attention given to cleaning wells and cisterns, making well platforms and repairing pumps of all kinds. apr7 d1m

WANTED Everybody to know and [illegible] connected at the [illegible] is the proper means the sight is to have that "want" satisfied.

WANTED You to call at 270 N. Fast street and examine my [illegible] for [illegible] I have the best method known to science [illegible] I test by day and artificial light. Satisfaction guaranteed. MRS. MARY NASH, O.D., 270 North Park street

WANTED The people to know that A. M. KEENAN has located at 117 East Water street where he has a fine stock of pianos and organs. Decker Bros., Lyon and Healy and Bro's pianos. Finest Rosewood shown in Decatur

WANTED—James Hollinger wants his old friends and customers to know that he has bought out the barber shop at 242 East Main street, that he has four good barbers, that he is a competent workman and can suit all of a good shave when they visit him. A little hair cutting and shampooing. Also turn ships, English or Russian baths. Ladies who wish to have Turkish or Russian baths should send in the forenoon and make engagements, thus the order that they may not be disappointed when they come to such a bath. It takes time to give a turkish bath and do it right. Apparatus is complete and service good. apr26d1

WANTED The people to know that they can buy first-class second hand furniture and stoves of us at half price. We have a special line of second hand lounges and parlor suits new upholstered and refinished, just as good as new, bedroom suits, chairs, etc., at very low prices. Cheapest Second Hand Store, 226 East Main street, first door west of the [illegible] marble shop. All kinds of furniture [illegible] done on short notice apr14d1

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TRADE [illegible] city property will trade [illegible] Some great [illegible] proved property. Are you [illegible] city to trade for [illegible] rooms for sale or trade [illegible] Fine lot for [illegible] and lot for sale for [illegible] four years time. Lots [illegible] buggy or surrey. A [illegible] goods for sale cheap. A good [illegible] city for sale. The Riverside [illegible] fine brick flat for rent. Money to [illegible] A. MULHORN, 117 East Main st [illegible] drug store.

FOR SALE OR TRADE A [illegible] on Railroad avenue, [illegible] North Monroe street, [illegible] now 7 rooms [illegible] nice well, cistern and barn [illegible] North Clinton street, an 8 room house on West Wood street, a good 6 room house on West Macon street. Improved property in all parts of the city to trade for vacant lots. Some choice building lots on William, Prairie Main and West North streets. List your property with me. 11-d6 CHAS. T. HAIGH, 152 East Main st

FOR SALE—On terms to suit, a fine modern residence of ten rooms on North Water street, electric light and gas, city water, and all improvements; an elegant home. If you wish to see it call on O. T. Kirk, 300 North Water street 1097

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...in brown and navy blue, ...worth 75c, at 39c.

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WANTED—Laundry work by experienced ... at prices to suit the times; express ... will call and get your work in any ... city and will return the same to you; ... by postal card or otherwise and we will ... Robert H. Oliphant, No. 1220 North ... street, Decatur, Ill. may10dtf

WANTED—To exchange a good phaeton for ... and will pay difference in money. O. ... North Water street. 10tf

WANTED—Salesmen for every county in Illinois to introduce an educational work; ... those having small capital need answer. ... W. M. Stewart, P. O. box 118, Decatur, Ill. 9d6*

WANTED—Our friends to call at 551 and 553 North Broadway to see the fine stock of second-hand goods we have for sale. Cheap; if you ... once you will come again, because you will be well pleased with our goods and prices. PARISH & CO. 8-d6

WANTED—Gasoline stoves, lawn mowers, and bicycles to repair; saws to file and set. ... 640 East Eldorado and I will ... work and deliver it. Second-hand goods bought and sold. JOHN MEAD. 9-d6

WANTED—A horse for its feed; will take the best of care of it; will only use 3 or 4 days ... Enquire at A. T. Crist's Barber Shop, ... Water Street. ...

WANTED—Steady employment of any kind. ... willing and competent. W. A. ... 6d&w

WANTED—Wall paper to clean; guaranteed ... and I will call and show a ... work, leave orders at 240 North Park ... address T. W. Whetstone, 1047 West ... 7d6t*

WANTED—The people of Decatur to know ... BELL, the old reliable boot and shoe ... located at 223 North Main street.

WANTED—Everybody to call at the Woman's Exchange, 327 East William street, for ... bread, pies, cakes, &c. A fine ... at all hours. Call and be convinced.

WANTED—Our friends and patrons to know ... moved to 235 N. Main street, where ... prepared to do all kinds of tailoring. ... Work the best. Repairing ... & Co. 5d6*

WANTED—... to go to Wm. Grabill for rubber stamps, enameled brass numbers, ... key checks, badges, letter plates, ... all kinds of repair work ... 220 N. Park St., Decatur, Ill. apr23dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that Fred Wilson, 1?? South Church street, is prepared with a new steam clipper to clip horses in the best manner without danger to the horse. ... in connection. Horses ... for and delivered. Work is reference. ...

WANTED—Everybody to call or telephone ... for original Budweiser beer. Ehrs & ... apr13dtf

WANTED—The ladies to call at Garrett's, 449 North Water street, and examine the patent ... scissors. Inspect their work and you ... be convinced that their equal has never been placed on this market. apr23dtf

WANTED—The people to know that I am selling goods lower than ever. New goods coming in that will be sold lower than can be bought elsewhere. Call and you will be convinced. E. M. WILLIAMS, 243 North Main st. apr17-dtf

WANTED—You to know that we are prepared to renovate your feathers, without ... whatever. Satisfaction guaranteed; charges reasonable. W. D. Chamberlain & Co., Library block. apr16-dtf

WANTED—You to know that A. M. Dillow, 350 East Main street, is making a specialty of best and latest improved pumps. The most complete stock of pumps in Central Illinois. Prompt attention given to cleaning wells and cisterns, making well platforms and repairing pumps of all kinds. apr17-dlm

WANTED—Everybody to know and be convinced that the REPUBLICAN want column is the proper means through which to have that "want" satisfied. apr16-dtf

WANTED—You to call at 250 N. Park street and examine my method for treating eyes. I have the best method known to science for examining. I test by day and artificial light. Satisfaction guaranteed. MISS MARY NESBITT, 250 North Park street. apr14-d m*

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Some of the best city property; will trade for cheaper property. Some vacant lots to trade for equity in improved property. An equity in improved property to trade for cow and team. Hotel of 22 rooms for sale or trade. A good business lot for sale. Fine lots for sale in any part of the city. ... lot for sale for $800; $300 cash, balance ... years' time. Lots to trade for horse and buggy or surrey. A stock of second-hand goods for sale cheap. A good paying confectionery for sale. The Riverside restaurant and a ... flat for rent. Money to loan. GEO. A. MELHORN, 117 East Main street, over West's ... store. 11-d1w*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A nice 4-room house on Railroad avenue; a new 6-room house on North Monroe street; a new 7-room house, furnace, well, cistern and barn, 60 feet frontage, on North Clinton street; an 8-room house on West Wood street; a good 6-room house, 371 West Macon street. Improved property in all parts of the city to trade for vacant lots. Some choice building lots on William, Prairie, Main and West North streets. List your property with me. 11-d6 CHAS. T. HAIGH, 152 East Main St.

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FOR SALE—The effects of the man who refused to advertise in the "For Sale" column of this paper. He lacked good business sense and now he's busted.

FOR SALE—Two good heavy work horses, suitable for draft or surrey horses; one is black other gray. Call at 553 South Main street. E. D. Larkins. 10d6t

FOR SALE—Six good lots in Englewood addition for sale at a bargain or would consider an exchange for small cottage in good location; these lots are clear of incumbrance; stock of goods at Macon doing a good cash business to exchange for vacant lots. O. T. Kirk, 300 North Water street. 10tf

FOR SALE—Two good folding beds, which will be sold at low figures; also a complete line of stoves, furniture &c.; call and see; great bargains; chance. 249 East Main street. 9d6

FOR SALE—Great bargains in unredeemed watches, jewelry, clothing, musical instruments, &c. WHITE'S Loan Office, 235 North Water street. 5-d6*

FOR SALE—The finest kind of Jersey Sweet Potato plants; also cabbage and tomato plants. Call at my place, one mile east of the city, first house on first lane south of end of graveled road east from East William St. Will deliver lots of 100 or over if notified by card. W. W. Scudder. 5d6

FOR SALE—A good pony, gentle, single footed, trots in harness. At a bargain if sold at once. Apply at H. Mueller Plg. & Heating Co., or Murray G. Millikin. may7-d6t

FOR SALE—On monthly payments. A House and lot in north part of city. Terms $10 cash and $10 per month till paid for. Apply to W. Z. Walmsley, real estate agent, over Cheap Charley's store. 8dtf

FOR SALE—Or will trade for city property, a farm of 80 acres in one mile of Mt. Zion. Apply to W. Z. Walmsley, over Cheap Charley's store. 8dtf

FOR SALE—We have just received from factory a fine line of pianos, organs, guitars, banjos, harps, mandolins, &c. The prices are right. Call and see us. S. GARRETT, 449 N. Water street. 4-d6

FOR SALE—By A. M. Dillow, 350 East Main street, all kinds of pumps, all the new and latest improved sink and house pumps, wood, chain and iron pumps, both lift and force. Repair work done on short notice. apr17-dlm

FOR SALE—Cabbage and tomato plants; all kinds of greenhouse plants; well grown and cheap. Cut flowers, designs and everything in the florist line. ADAM BALMER, North Union Street Greenhouse, Decatur, Ill. apr25-d6w

FOR SALE OR RENT—Space in our want columns for you to advertise for your wants, to sell or rent your belongings, at the low rate of 25 cents per week for notices not to exceed forty words. apr16-dtf

FOR SALE—Two-story house of eight rooms and cellar, 40 feet front. Good barn with driveway to street. Paved street. Sewer in alley. City water. Owner wishes to leave the city. 734 West Decatur street.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN in any amount on real estate, chattels or good personal security. C. T. HAIGH, over Busher's shoe store, 152 E. Main street. mar19dtf

MONEY TO LOAN—Real estate conveyancing. Apply to WALTER & WALTER, room 3, Ulrich block, over the National Bank of Decatur. nov1-dtf

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, No. 145 North Water street, over Abel's carpet house, Decatur, Ill. july16-d&wtf

LOST, FOUND, ETC.

LOST—Out of a buggy in the city, a walking stick with curved handle; from one-half to three-quarters of an inch in diameter; the stick has sunken knots every few inches; a suitable reward will be given finder by leaving it at the store of the Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods and Carpet Company. 11d6t

FOUND—The best place in the city for high grade pictures is at ABRAMS' gallery, over Peddecord, Burrows & Co's bank. For the best aristotype and crayon pictures you should not fail to call. 7d6t

LOST—A child's light grey cape, green silk trimming, in northwest part of city; cape fell from a buggy on street; finder will please leave it at the Citizen's National bank. 7d6*

FOUND AT LAST—The place to have your watch repaired so that it will keep correct time. Take it to JENNISON'S fine watch repairing shop, No. 314 North Main St. apr17-dtf

LOST—By those persons who do not use the REPUBLICAN want columns, the splendid opportunities and business advantages offered here every day. apr16-dtf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Four unfurnished rooms in Martin's flats, suitable for housekeeping by small family, bath room and privileges. 10d6

FOR RENT—Elegant furnished rooms with or without board. MRS. SHAW, 272 West Main street. 9-d6

FOR RENT—Good house on East Bradford street. Enquire of W. Z. Walmsley, Telephone 352. may9-dtf

FOR RENT—May Bros. & Travers' addition. House of 5 rooms. W. Z. Walmsley, Telephone 352. may9-dtf

FOR RENT—Nice 6-room house on East Eldorado street with well, cistern and outbuildings. W. Z. WALMSLEY. Tele. 352 may9-dtf

FOR RENT—Space in this column, which all good people are invited to inspect. The small investment is better than preferred stock in a gold mine. Ladies and gentlemen who patronize this column may in time wear diamonds. tf

FOR RENT—Corner of West Cerro Gordo and North College. W. Z. Walmsley. Tel 352. ytf

ROOMS TO RENT—One front room and alcove and one rear room, with all modern conveniences; also furnish day board. Apply to Mrs. C. A. Towne, 151 West Main street, Cheno-weth flats. 7d6t*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with board, all first class. MRS. HUTCHINSON, 499 East William street. 8-d6

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOUND DEAD—It was at first thought that he had died from poison but it has been learned that his heart was broken because he had neglected to have his photo taken at the Star studio; prices all right. 153 North Water street. 11d6t

O. W. SMITH, Attorney at Law, does a general law business. All business entrusted to me will receive prompt attention. Office, 112 North Water street. may11-d1mo

BUSINESS CHANCES.—For sale or trade, stock and fixtures of a grocery doing good business.

Small stock of new furniture.

Fruit and candy stock. Owner is away and can't look after the business.

Meat market. Saloon.

Drug store. Stock of hardware.

Three unincumbered lots to trade for small property.

A good mill in a thriving town in Shelby Co.

Will take a good driving horse as part pay on a choice lot.

152 East Prairie street. KENY & JOHNS. may?-dtf

WE buy, sell and exchange all kinds of property on commission and can get a deal through in the shortest possible time. My time belongs to my patrons. Call and see me. O. T. KIRK, 300 North Water St. may10-dtf

1300 Acres of the best corn land in the state, located in the Lima Lake Drainage district in Adams county, Ill., for exchange for stocks of goods. Will divide it to suit buyer. O. T. KIRK, 300 North Water St. may10-dtf

SOME first class improved city residence property to exchange for merchandise; also 340 acres of fine prairie land in Jasper county, Ind., to trade for stock of boots or shoes, or good general merchandise. O. T. KIRK, 300 N. Water street. may10dtf

BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 20 to 60 days by a **Magic Remedy**, under guaranty, backed by $500,000 capital. Positive proof and 100-page book, illustrated from life from people cured, free by mail. When Hot Springs and Mercury fail, then **Magic Remedy will cure.**

COOK REMEDY CO., Chicago, Ill.

may11-d1yr

TIN SHOPS.—Call at Anchor Tin Shops for estimates, roofing, guttering, spouting, &c., roof painting, repairing, &c. Look for the big anchor. Don't forget the place—601 East Cerro Gordo street. may9-dtf

HAIR GOODS—Mrs. Bowman, Central block, is headquarters for all style of hair goods, ladies hair dressing, etc.; satisfaction guaranteed. Call and be convinced. 9d6t

REMOVED.—I have removed my dress-making parlors to Room 7, Syndicate block, second floor. Custom made dresses always on hand. Tailor-made suits to order a specialty. Mrs. August Rohner. 3dtf

FULL line of cut flowers, roses, etc. A fine line of bedding plants, Geraniums, Verbena, Pansies, etc., delivered to any part of the city. Call on or telephone 200. N. Bommersbach.

A SNAP—A solid section of the very best land in Illinois for sale at a price so that first crop will pay for same; terms easy. For full information apply to John A. Brown & Co., over Anstead's dry goods store. may8d&w2w

DRESS MAKING—Miss Frances I. Clegg, has opened dress making rooms at 231 North Main street and will be glad to meet her old customers and patrons. may7-d6t

HOME MADE HAPPY—By buying screen doors or window screens, at 725 North Water street; we have too many and will sell them cheaper than anybody else. DECATUR HARDWARE CO. 7dtf

SMALL POX.—Dr. Spalding's office is in Library block. He is well supplied with fresh vaccine virus and is vaccinating scores who are determined to be safe from small pox. There is no better time to be vaccinated than now.—5d6*

R. L. FULLINWIDER & CO., manufacturer foundry patterns, models, furniture, keys, house numbers, plasterers' tools, quilting frames, door and window screens. Repair bicycles, sewing machines, electric bells, electrical supplies, gasoline stoves, stove repairs, setting window glass, locks, lawn mowers, baby buggies and musical instruments. Grinding and polishing barber supplies, scissors, saws, surgical instruments and all kinds of tools sharpened. Drop us a card and we will call at residence. Shop 249 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. apr21-dtf

MADAME SKINNER has again embarked in the dressmaking business and would be pleased to have her old customers and as many new ones as may need her services to call and leave their orders. Prices to suit the times to those who as not in a hurry. Madame Skinner, Syndicate Block, suite 28, Decatur, Ill. may1-dtf

W. H. GRINDOL & SON, at their old stand on East Main street, have a fine stock of granite and marble monuments and head stones. Iron reservoir flower vases on hand for sale. Call and see them. apr 30-d1m

NOTICE.—The best place to buy second-hand furniture is at 640 E. Eldorado. Call and be convinced. We also upholster furniture; umbrella repairing and rope splicing. See us when you need a good cook or gasoline stove. THOS. REARDON & CO. apr19-dtf

STORAGE—Regular storage house for all kinds of merchandise, household goods, stoves, etc. Goods transferred to and from the house. Goods packed. Loans made. Brick building. Office and warerooms 620 East Mason street. Telephone 292. C. C. HARPSTRITE. jan-dtf

THE Mutual Telephone company is now ready to make contracts for service. For particulars call on DR. J. G. HARVEY, Opera House Block. apr23-dtf

R. O. ROSEN, Architect and Builder. Office in rooms 18 and 19, in Fenton block, third floor, over Bradley Bros.

GO to W. D. Chamberlain & Co. in the Library Block for your furniture and upholstering and repairing. apr18-dtf

MRS. ANNA WARD, Fashionable Ladies' Hair worker, in all the styles that are worn. Ladies' Hair Dressing in all styles. Shampooing and cleaning ladies' hair a specialty. 113 N. Main street, Decatur, Ill. dec3-dtf

HAVE moved to 139 North Broadway, opposite new coal shaft in the Harpstrite block; will have a car load of potatoes in Monday—Snowflake and Burbank; also will have a shipment of new potatoes. Frank Zwiselier & Son. 5d6*

WELLS driven or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms or prices, call at C. R. FOSTER'S grocery store, 1075 North Water street. jy1-dtf

PIANOS, Organs, musical instruments, jewelry, silverware, watches, clocks, lamps, lace curtains, window shades, chenille goods, carpet sweepers, etc., on easy payments, if desired. A practical jeweler in the store. Also successful piano tuner and organ repairer. Satisfaction guaranteed. S. GARRETT, 449 North Water St. apr12-dtf

BEST thing in Decatur for the money; a modern 8 room house built by the day; East lake finish, large porch, bath room, lavatory and marble basin, tile mantles, heated with furnace, also gas and electricity, perfect sewerage, paved street, shade trees, etc., within three blocks of postoffice, for $4,000, $500 cash, balance easy terms. Call and examine plans and specifications; lot 41 feet wide. Apply to John A. Brown, over Anstead's store. may8d&w2w

HERE'S SOME MORE NEST EGGS—Look them over, then come and see. You will never will have a better opportunity to own a small farm or suburban home than right now:

2 pieces, 5 acres each;	1 piece, 85 acres;
1 piece, 12½ acres;	1 piece, 87 acres;
1 piece, 14 acres;	1 piece, 128 acres;
1 piece, 60 acres;	2 pieces, 80 acres, prairie
1 piece, 67½ acres;	1 piece, 75 acres, prairie;
1 piece, 77½ acres;	1 piece, 140 acres, prairie
1 piece, 2 acres;	1 piece, 8 acres;

8 room house, edge of city, $4,000; 3 houses, etc., edge of city, $7,000. Most of these pieces lie near street cars. They are suitable for suburban homes, chicken ranches, gardening or dairy. If you have any property for sale or exchange, it will pay you to list it with me. Have gentle horse and buggy at the office all the time to show the properties. For further information, call or write. P. H. BRUBCK, ar17-dtf 249 N. Main St.

Dr. James L. Bevans,

Physician and Surgeon.

who formerly practiced at Boody and later at Quincy, Ill., has returned and permanently located at Decatur. Down town office, Rooms 15 and 16, Second Floor, Columbia Block, Postoffice building. Office hours 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m., and 6:30 to 8 p. m. At all other hours he will be at his Residence-office, 831 North Monroe street. Calls in town or country promptly attended to day or night. Telephone 368.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will at the regular meeting of the city council to be held on May 21, 1894, apply for a license to sell liquor at No. 241 East Main street, Decatur, Ill. may7d2w PETER HALMBACHER.

RAILWAY NOTICES.

ONE FARE.—For the convention of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, the Wabash R. R. will sell tickets to Cleveland, Ohio, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold for all trains July 9th, 10th and 11th, good returning until July 31st. An extension of this ticket will be granted till Sept. 15th by depositing same with the joint agent at Cleveland. The Wabash R. R. offers the most desirable line to Cleveland, being able to offer passengers an all rail route or via Detroit and steamer across the lake. For full particulars write or apply to any agent Wabash R. R. or to C. A. Pollock, P. & T. A., Wabash R. R., Decatur, Ill. apr19-3mo

I. D. & W. RAILWAY home-seekers excursions, May 8th and 29th, 1894. The Indianapolis, Decatur & Western railway will sell home seekers' excursion tickets, at one fare for the round trip, May 8th and 29th, 1894, to points in Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, New Mexico and South Dakota, North Dakota, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma and Texas. Tickets good to return in 30 days. Stop overs allowed. Apply to any agent I., D. & W. railway, or John S. Lazarus, General Passenger Agent, Indianapolis, Ind. dtf

VANDALIA LINE EXCURSIONS—The Vandalia line will sell excursion tickets to the following meetings:

Illinois State Sunday School convention at Peoria May 15-17. One and one-third fare for the round trip.

Baptist Young People's Union convention at Toronto, Ontario, July 19-22. Tickets good until July 31st but may be extended to Sept. 31st by depositing with agent at Toronto. Rate $16.29 round trip.

Annual conference German Baptist (Dunkard) church at Meyersdale, Pa., May 24th. $16.75 for the round trip. Tickets good for 30 days.

International convention of United Society Christian Endeavor at Cleveland, Ohio, July 11-15. Date of sale July 9-11, good until July 31st, but may be extended until Sept. 31st by depositing with joint agent at Cleveland. Rate $12.45 for the round trip.

For further information call on or address W. W. Dawson, city ticket agent, 114 Library block, or C. O. Judson, U. D., Decatur, Ill.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

County Judge.

WE are authorized to announce ANDREW M. TAYLOR as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce EDWIN PARK as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce E. S. MCDONALD as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM L. HAMMER as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

County Treasurer.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES H. PATTERSON, of Wheatland township, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN K. WHEELER, of Oakley township, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. BEAN, of Pleasant View township, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

County Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE P. HARDY as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce MAJOR F. L. HAYS as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce J. M. DODD as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

County Sheriff.

WE are authorized to announce JESSE E. BENDURE as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JERRY P. NICHOLSON as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM J. MAGEE as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JAMES T. WELLS, of Niantic, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM M. BALLARD as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

County Supt. of Schools.

WE are authorized to announce W. W. KYLE, of Warrensburg, as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce N. M. JACOBS as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN G. KELLER as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

Decoration Day. To all local stations not over 200 miles distant, except that no tickets will be sold to points east of Tolono. Tickets will be sold May 29th and 30th, good returning till May 31st. One and one-third fare for the round trip.

Myersdale, Pa.: Account German Baptist (Dunkard) church annual meeting, tickets sold May 21 to 26 inclusive, limited to return 30 days from date of sale. Good for continuous passage going. One fare for the round trip.

Denver, Colo.: Account American Institute of Homeopathy. Tickets will be sold June 11 and 12. Continuous passage going and returning. Final limit to return 30 days. One fare for the round trip.

Buffalo, N. Y.: Account Roman Catholic Union Knights of St. John, tickets sold June 23 and 24, good for continuous passage going, limited to return till June 28. One fare for the round trip.

Dallas, Texas: On account of the Southern Baptist convention, tickets sold May 9 to 12 inclusive. Good going for continuous passage only limited returning 30 days from date of sale. One fare for the round trip.

Eugene, Oregon: Account General Assembly Cumberland Presbyterian church and Albany, Ore., account General Assembly United Presbyterian church, tickets sold May 7 to 10 inclusive and May 14 to 17 inclusive. Tickets good going 10 days from date of sale and returning till July 15. Stop-overs will be granted west of the Missouri river going or returning. Tickets will also take in Portland. Rate from Decatur $80.55 round trip, with correspondingly low rates from other stations.

Cleveland, O.: For the convention of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, one fare for the round trip, tickets sold for all trains July 9, 10, 11, good returning July 31. Extension of this ticket will be granted till Sept. 15 by depositing same with joint agent at Cleveland.

Linwood Park, Vermillion, O.: Account Evangelical Association Sunday School convention and German camp meeting. Tickets sold Aug. 5 to 21, good for continuous passage going, limited for return till Aug. 24. Fare and a third for the round trip.

Harvest Excursions—Only a few more left. One fare for the round trip from Decatur, Ills., as follows: May 8 and 22, and June 5, to all points on the Mobile & Ohio railroad south of Cairo. Tickets good returning for thirty days. Stop-overs south of Cairo either going or returning. May 8 to 29 to all points in Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana. Tickets good returning 30 days, stop-overs going. May 8 and 22 and June 5 to all points on the Illinois Central railroad in Tennessee, Kentucky, Mississippi and Louisiana (except New Orleans) and to all points on the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley railroad (except Memphis and New Orleans.) Tickets good returning 30 days. May 8 and 29 to all points in Kansas, Nebraska and Southwest Missouri, where the one way standard selling rate from the nearest Missouri river point is $2 or more. The minimum rate so established to be available in the sale of tickets to Missouri river points and beyond. To all points in Colorado and Wyoming, North and South Dakota, to the principal points in Montana, Idaho, New Mexico, Manitoba, Iowa and Minnesota. Tickets good returning thirty days. Stop-overs granted on going trip. Children's tickets will be sold at half rates.

For rates, routes, maps and any further information regarding any Wabash excursion, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. and T. A. Wabash railroad, Decatur, Ill. may3-dtf

STILL ANOTHER of those popular Illinois Central R. R. half-rate Homeseekers' Excursions and this time to the South and West, to be run on all Stations on the line of the Central Route in Illinois and Wisconsin, on Tuesday, May 8, this is in addition to the excursion already advertised, Leave on Tuesday, May 29, for the South, but will now also be run to the West. These excursions will be run to all points south on the lines of the Illinois Central and the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley Railroads (except New Orleans and Memphis), and to points on the Southern Pacific in Louisiana, Lafayette to Lake Charles inclusive. West to all points on the line of the Illinois Central in Iowa west of and including Iowa Falls, and to certain territory beyond. Homeseekers' Excursion tickets will be sold at the above rate from Illinois Central Stations on the dates specified, limited to 30 days. Tickets for the South will be good for stop-overs in both directions south of Cairo, on Illinois Central R. R., and south-bound on the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley Railroad. Stop-overs will be granted on tickets to the West, on the going trip beyond the first homeseekers' excursion point. For further particulars concerning Rates, etc., in connection with these Excursions, apply to your Local Railroad Ticket Agent, or address F. B. BOWES, Gen'l Northern Pass'r Agt., I. C. R. R., 194 Clark street, Chicago. may3-tf

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WANTED—A chambermaid. Must apply at once and bring references. Central House 2-d6

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois.

Hugh Crea vs. Joseph O. Kretzer et al.—Bill to foreclose mortgage. No. 14,800 in Chancery.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered at the September term, A. D. 1893, in the above entitled cause, I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of the said court, will, on

THURSDAY, THE 17th DAY OF MAY, 1894,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north door of the court house on Wood street, in the city of Decatur, in said county, offer for sale at public vendue for cash, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section thirty-two (32), township seventeen (17) north, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian. Also the south half of the southeast quarter of section thirty-five (35), township and range aforesaid. Also seven and one-half (7½) acres, commencing five (5) chains west of the center of the northeast quarter of said section thirty-five (35); thence west three and seventy-five one-hundredths (3.75) chains; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence east three and seventy-five one-hundredths (3.75) chains; thence north twenty (20) chains to the place of beginning; the said last described tract being the seven and one-half (7½) acres set off to the said Kretzer in the partition suit of Edward C. Kretzer vs. Jemima Kretzer et al. in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois. Also all the undivided right, title and interest which said Joseph O. Kretzer has and owns in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section ten (10), township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the 3d principal meridian; also the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section eleven (11), the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section fifteen (15), the west half of the north west quarter of section 14, twenty-three (23) acres off of the north end of the west half of the southwest quarter of section fourteen (14), five acres off of the north side of the south half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section fifteen (15). All of said tracts lying in township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the 3d principal meridian. Also ten (10) acres off of the north side of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-six (26), township 16 north, range one (1) west of the 3d principal meridian; three (3) acres off of the north end of the west half of the west half of the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the 3d principal meridian. Also ten (10) acres off of the north end of the following described piece of land, to-wit: Commencing five (5) chains east of the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three, town and range last aforesaid, thence east 9 75-100 chains, thence south 22 52-100 chains, thence west 9 75-100 chains, thence north 22 52-100 chains to the place of beginning. All of said land situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 16th day of April, 1894. JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

DAVID HUTCHINSON, Complainant's Solicitor. apr16-dtd

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1894.

DeWitt C. Shockley vs. Ann J. Stitzel, George Stitzel, Lowber Burrows and Eli H. Brown.

Affidavit that the above-named Ann J. Stitzel and George Stitzel have gone out of the state of Illinois and are now nonresidents of the said state having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county, and summons out of chancery, returnable to said term of said court, having been issued against the said defendants and returned by the sheriff of Macon county not found, notice is hereby given to the said Ann J. Stitzel and George Stitzel that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending. Now, unless you, the said Ann J. Stitzel and George Stitzel, shall personally be and appear before the said court on the first day of the next June term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the first Monday in June, being the 4th day of said month, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein alleged, will be taken as true, and a decree rendered according to the prayer of said bill.

Dated this 21st day of April, A. D. 1894. apr21-d4w E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a special execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Lucy I Harrington and against George Harrington, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots twelve and thirteen in Crowder & Roberts' addition to the city of Decatur in Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said George Harrington, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Macon county in said state, on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 25th day of April, A. D. 1894. PETER PERL, apr24-d3w Sheriff Macon Co., Ill.

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating the Use of Vehicles on Public Sidewalks.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois:

SECTION 1. That no person or persons shall ride any bicycle or other vehicle over or upon any public sidewalk along which there is a paved street, unless it be to cross said sidewalk, nor shall any person or persons haul, draw or push over or upon any public sidewalk, except it be to cross the same, any slop cart, wagon, or other vehicle used for the purpose of conveying slop. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this section shall be fined not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars for each offense.

Passed this 7th day of May, A. D. 1894.
Approved this 8th day of May, A. D. 1894.
Published this 11th day of May, A. D. 1894.
D. C. MOFFITT, Mayor.

Attest: L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

A GOVERNMENT BOAT ON AN ILLINOIS PRAIRIE.

Have you ever seen a Government Boat on an Illinois prairie? Probably not. That object you can see, Sunday, May 13th, by taking the P., D. & E. excursion train to North Lake Fork on that day. A Government Dredge which is digging a canal 15 miles long, 26 feet wide and 12 feet deep in Logan and Macon counties will on Sunday, May 6th, be at North Lake Fork and will give an exhibition of its working power. At North Lake Fork is situated a beautiful grove and a picnic will be held there on that date. Bring your lunch basket and enjoy a day's outing and see something you never saw before. Special train leaves Decatur at 6:55 a. m. and returning leaves North Lake Fork at 3:20 p. m. Fare for the round trip, 25c. Grand excursion and picnic, Sunday, May 6th. On the above date the P., D. & E. will run a special train to North Lake Fork near Latham to give its patrons an opportunity of witnessing the working of the Government Dredge now there. A grand picnic will be held in the grove at that place and the dredge will give an exhibition. You can't afford to miss it. Call on Agent P., D. & E., or see bills for particulars.

R. R. TIME TABLES.

In effect Feb. 26, 1894.

Wabash.

FROM ST. LOUIS.		TO ST. LOUIS.	
No. 10 Pass	8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass	6:30 a m
" 4 Pass	11:57 a m	" 3 Pass	8:35 a m
" 44 Pass	11:25 a m	" 43 Pass	4:05 a m
" 42 Pass	10:10 p m	" 45 Pass	4:15 p m
" 2 Pass	12:15 a m	" 5 Pass	4:10 a m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.		TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	
No. 42 Pass	10:05 p m	No. 43 Pass	4:30 a m
" 44 Pass	11:05 a m	" 45 Pass	4:10 p m
" 6 Pass	6:15 a m	" 1 Pass	9:07 p m
" 46 Acc	7:05 p m	" 47 Acc	6:45 a m
" 70 Freight	11:05 a m	" 71 Freight	11:56 a m
FROM TOLEDO AND DETROIT.		TO TOLEDO AND DETROIT.	
No. 44 Pass	3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass	6:25 a m
" 45 Pass	3:55 p m	" 44 Pass	11:35 a m
" 41 Pass	9:00 p m	" 42 Pass	10:15 p m
" 37 Pass		" 38 Pass	
from Bement	10:30 a m	to Bement	3:30 p m
FROM CHICAGO.		TO CHICAGO.	
No. 3 Pass	3:30 a m	No. 2 Pass	12:30 a m
" 5 Pass	4:05 p m	" 4 Pass	12:02 p m
" 1 Pass, except Sunday	3:50 p m	" 6 Pass, except Sunday	6:35 p m

Illinois Central.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
Diamond Special, daily	1:58 a m	Diamond Special, daily	2:42 a m
No. 122 pass. ex. Sunday	9:40 a m	No. 121 pass. ex. Sunday	10:25 a m
No. 191 Freight ex. Sunday	2:05 p m	No. 193 freight ex. Sunday	10:30 a m
No. 102 pass. ex. Sunday	4:00 p m	No. 103 pass. ex. Sunday	5:25 p m
No. 702 (Champ'n line) leaves, ex. Sunday	3:15 p m	No. 701 (Champ'n line) arrives ex. Sunday	10:35 a m

Indianapolis, Decatur & Western.

ARRIVE.		LEAVE.	
No. 1 Pass	2:50 p m	No. 2 Pass	11:35 a m
" 3 Pass	3:55 a m	" 4 Pass	10:20 a m
" 7 Freight	3:00 a m	" 8 Freight	2:50 a m
" 9 Freight	8:00 p m	" 10 Freight	4:00 p m

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No. 2 Pass	2:55 p m	No. 1 Pass	11:05 a m
" 4 Pass	6:55 a m	" 3 Pass	10:15 p m
" 30 Pass, Sunday only	7:50 a m	" 31 Pass, Sunday only	9:00 p m
" 14 Freight	10:45 a m	" 11 Freight	2:00 p m

Vandalia Line.

ARRIVE.	
From Terre Haute	11:05 a m—7:30 a m
From Peoria	2:40 p m—7:15 p m
LEAVE.	
For Peoria	11:30 a m—7:15 a m
For Terre Haute	7:30 a m—3:00 p m

AT THE

UNION MEAT MARKET,

229 North Water.

While others are quoting their low prices, just glance over my list and see how it strikes you. Commencing Monday, May 7, I will sell meats of all kinds cheaper than any butcher in Decatur and Guarantee the quality.

Loin Steak	10c
Round Steak	8c
Good Steak, 5½ lbs.	25c
Good Steak, 4½ lbs.	25c
Pork Sausage, link or bulk, 4½ lbs	25c
Boiling Meat	3c, 4c, 6c per lb
Pickle Pork (the very best) 3 lbs	25c
Pressed Corned Beef, per lb	9c

Fresh fish received daily at lowest market price.
I keep the best selected stock in town.
Give me a call and see for yourself.

JOSEPH COHEN, Proprietor.

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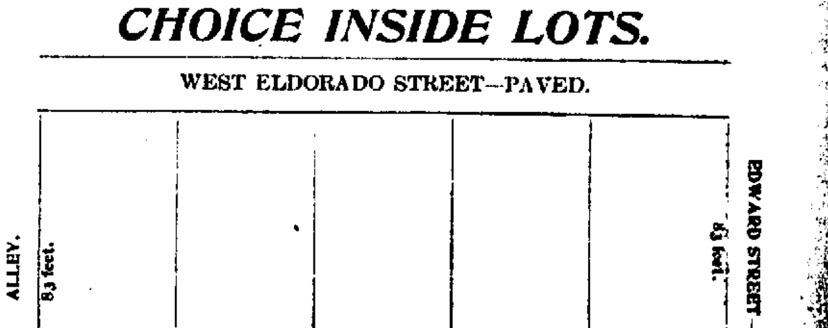

Five fine lots as above, only about three minutes from Postoffice. For sale by

JOHN A. BROWN,
Over Anstead's, North Water Street.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS

Further Discussion of the Allen Coxey Resolution.

SENATOR STEWART'S STRANGE SPEECH

The Afternoon Devoted to Consideration of the Amended Tariff Bill—Little Business Transacted in the House.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The Allen-Coxey resolution coming before the senate, Mr. Gordon addressed the senate He looked upon the Coxey movement, he said, from a southern standpoint. It appeared to him to teach a lesson which senators might wisely and gravely consider The movement had its inspiration in paternalism—in that theory of government which if indulged in would increase the large brood of similar movements, and intensify the demands of that class of people on congress for relief. Strangely enough, the movement had its origin in one of the great central, populous, progressive states of the Union. Divisions and corps were moving on the capitol from every quarter of the compass save the south. That was a marvellous fact. The reason of the isolation of the south was not the absence of poverty there, but it was that the war and its lessons had taught the people (though the most relentless of all taskmasters) the necessity of relying on their own manhood—the necessity of relying not on the government, but on their own right arms

Mr. Teller took part in the discussion and treated the question involved as an important one. He denied the claim set up by Senator Allison that the right of petition implied the right to invade the capitol or to read the petitions from the capitol. The right of petitions was preserved as readily and as surely when congress provided that petitions should be presented as they now were There never would be any petition, however absurd—unless it was a wicked one—that would not find some senator or representative ready to present it, even though he might disavow all sympathy with it. There was great discontent among the people and a growing desire among them to come to Washington for the purpose of influencing legislation. That. Mr Teller declared, was a perfectly proper thing to do, and nobody ought to complain if it was done with proper decorum and decency. But, after all, it could be seen that, if all the people who were discontented and distressed should attempt to come to the national capital there might be a condition of things impossible to endure How could 200,000 or 300 000 people who might come to Washington from neighboring cities be fed, and clothed, and taken care of? And yet they were threatened with that: and it was not a bright and happy outlook. The question was whether it should be so dealt with, in its incipiency, as to prevent further discontent and further dissatisfaction

This was not the first time that an English-speaking people had been stirred up by the question of petitions in person. In 1980, when Lord George Gordon presented his great petition to parliament, he invaded the parliament chamber and presented his great petition, known as the anti-popery petition. It was a harmless crowd that started; but it culminated in riot, in bloodshed, in the destruction of a great amount of property and in a loss of life. There was no reason to suppose that the present condition of things did not threaten this capital with something of the same character. What, then, Mr Teller asked, was a wise thing to do?

He could not but think, in view of the present conditions, that the suggestion made by the senator from Kansas (Mr Peffer) a couple of weeks since, for the appointment of a committee to confer with those men and explain to them the difficulties under which legislation labored and the difficulty of procuring the legislation which they desired, would have been, after all, the best solution of the question He reviewed, briefly, the occurrences at the time of Coxey's arrest, and spoke of the action of the police as most disgraceful If the police, he added, had behaved with as much discretion and decency as the Commonweal army did, there would have been no trouble.

It would not do, Mr Teller said, to call Coxey a crank His scheme was simply absurd, as a great many other schemes that were put forth. It was not a wicked scheme. He (Mr. Teller) had heard propositions in the senate that were not as sensible as Coxey's. He had heard the senator from Ohio (Mr. Sherman) advocate measures on the floor of the senate which from his (Mr. Teller's) standpoint were infinitely more objectionable, infinitely more injurious to the country—if they had been carried out—and infinitely more indefensible than Coxey's scheme. That scheme would not bring to the country the hundredth part of the distress as would some legislation (alluding to the silver demonetizing act) had brought to it. The movements of men all over the country ought at least, Mr. Teller said, lead the American congress to stop and reflect and consider whether the present condition of affairs was the result either of bad legislation or a failure to enact such laws as ought to be enacted

Mr. Stewart spoke in support of the resolution and declared against the police and the police court for what he called their "exhibition of petty tyranny"

Mr. Frye broke in with a remark that while many senators might feel inclined to vote for the resolution, such a speech as Mr. Stewart was making would make it very hard work for them to do so

Mr. Stewart said that he could not help that. He added that the feeling which had been provoked by the action of the police and of the police court could only be allayed by a fair investigation.

Mr Hoar said that he did not wish to enter into the debate because it was a very unprofitable one. He thought that the people of the country understood that the Coxey army meant an attempt to appeal to public prejudice, which, had it been heard in the senate chamber, would have fallen flat. Coxey had come to Washington with a full knowledge that congress had passed a law for the regulation of the capitol grounds, and had declared that he had made up his mind that the law was not valid, and that he would not obey it It would not do now for Coxey to turn round and make the "poor whine" which the senator from Nevada now made for him, that his offense was a very little thing.

Mr. Hoar went on to speak on the recent attempts made to blow up the houses of parliament in London and the palace of the legislative assembly in Paris, as well as of the murder of two American presidents, one in a crowd at a railroad station, and one in a crowd at a theater, and said that these were the acts of misguided and fanatical persons to whom peaceable assemblies had afforded cover and a chance to escape. He should disgrace his own character if he thought it necessary to affirm that he sympathized with the public distress as deeply as any other senator. He did sympathize with it a great deal more than did those senators who sought to make it an instrument for their own political purpose or their own reckless political ambition.

[This sentence was uttered by Mr Hoar with great bitterness of expression, and was loudly applauded by the crowds in the galleries. He then went on:]

The true way to remedy the trouble is for the majority of the fairly-chosen representatives of the people and of the states in this and the other house, to work out this great problem as best they may. But one thing we will not do is to lay down our constitutional functions and be clamored out of our character as American legislators by any mob spirit, whether it finds its utterance from a Coxey car or from the seat of the senator from Nevada.

Mr. Harris declared he had no sympathy with the proposition to raise a senate committee to investigate the absurdities of the Coxey movement, but he had less sympathy with the speech of the senator from Nevada [illegible] allow an appeal to such a committee from the judiciary department of the district. After the statement made this morning by the senator from Colorado (Mr. Teller) as to the action of the police he should favor an investigation. He did not believe, however, that any illegal or improper act had been committed either by the police or the judiciary.

The morning hour expired and the resolution went over. It now goes on the calendar, from which it can only be taken by a majority vote of the senate

The tariff bill was then, at 1 p m, taken up and considered until 5:15, when a message was received from the house announcing the death of Representative Bratton, and the senate adjourned until to-morrow.

HOUSE.

Owing to the death of Representative Brattan, of Maryland, the house adjourned at 12 30 o'clock, after having passed a few private bills The one of most importance was that directing that a survey be made of the counties of Grant and Hooker, Neb., to correct gross errors in the original survey.

FROM HAWAII.

The Constitutional Convention Election—Ex-Marshal Wilson in Trouble.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The United Press correspondent at Honolulu writing under date of the 3d instant per steamer Alameda, which arrived yesterday afternoon, says:

The election of delegates to the constitutional convention took place yesterday in an extremely quiet and orderly manner. About 1,500 voters cast their ballots out of 1,800 who had registered on the island of Oahu. Six delegates were assigned to this island. Five names had been put up as the regular ticket of the American union party. Of these only three were chosen, Carter, Abel and Kunia-Kea. Six independent candidates were also on the printed ballot furnished by the government. Judge Roberts, police magistrate, led the poll with over 1,500 votes. The Portuguese had put up two candidates, who divided nearly equally the votes of all the 500 and more Portuguese voters, and stood second and third on the poll. The Portuguese handled themselves with great efficiency, the more remarkable because most of them cannot read or write. Returns from other islands will not be all in for feveral days. Results, however are already certain, as only one set of candidates had been nominated, and all were therefore certain of election. All of the delegates from other islands are leading men, and have had more or less legislative experience. None of those elected from Honolulu has ever served in a legislature or are men of special leadership. The nominations were made in an ill-considered manner in the primaries, instead of being handled by a nominating convention. Those elected are, however, a fairly safe class of men. The general complexion of the coming convention is highly conservative. There will be a strong tendency to avoid needless innovations in the new constitution. Some of the most influential and capable of the natives are elected, and will help to watch for the rights and interests of their people. Special care will be taken to secure such provisions as will prevent the overthrow by the native votes, as the results of the late revolution.

Ex-Marshal Wilson, the queen's favorite, is in trouble. He is under arrest as an accomplice in the brutal assault at the Hawaiian hotel made by one Ben Gallagher upon Albert Austin, a prominent annexationist. Ben chewed off Austin's ear, and is held for mayhem. Wilson is charged with aiding Gallagher and preventing Austin from defending himself.

A strong force from the flagship Philadelphia is at work at Pearl harbor surveying and testing the nature of the bar.

The royalists are understood to be endeavoring to revive certain volunteer native organizations disbanded at the revolution of '87. They claim to be confident that President Cleveland will restore the queen in June. They believe that Admiral Walker has been sent here for that purpose.

THE YACHT SEIZURES.

The Capture of the Vessels as Seen from Both Sides of the Matter.

AMHERSTBURG, Ont., May 11.—Capt. Dunn, of the Petrel says he seized the steamers because customs officers McCormick told him they were there for illegal purposes and the fishery officers say they fished during the close season last year. Capt. Haas, of the American boat Visitor, says he went Pelee island several times and asked the customs officers if he would be allowed to fish in Canadian waters and was told to wait until the Patrel arrived with the regulations. Monday the Brooks went to Pelee and the deputy collector told the captain to go on fishing until the Petral arrived.

Capt. Rheberg of the Brooks, is indignant. He claims that there was no intention of violating any Canadian law. After the small boats went out Tuesday the Brooks, with both captains aboard, went to the customhouse. The deputy then informed Rheberg that he had orders not to give the clearance promised. The captain was surprised, and said he would return immediately and take the party back to Put-In-Bay. On returning he found the Petrel alongside. The Visitor steamed up to have a talk with the Dominion officer, when both boats were informed that they were under seizure. Rheberg attempted to escape, but two Canadians had come aboard and taken the throttle off the engine. Rheberg denies that he fished during the close season last year.

Baseball.

The following games were played yesterday:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Baltimore—Philadelphias, 9; Baltimores, 3.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnatis, 18, St. Louis, 9.

At New York—New Yorks, 6; Washingtons, 2.

At Boston—Bostons, 7; Brooklyns, 1.

At Pittsburgh—Clevelands, 2; Pittsburghs, 1

Twenty Families Rendered Homeless

MONTREAL, Can., May 11.—At St. Henri, a suburb of Montreal, early yesterday morning, fire destroyed a whole block of dwellings and their contents. Twenty families were rendered homeless. Loss, $52,000; insurance, $15,000.

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Enable the Occupants of a Stolen Train

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And Make a Long Advance Toward Washington, the Mecca of the Commonweal Hosts—Peaceably Surrendered to the Marshals.

SCOTT CITY, Kan., May 11.—Gen. Sanders and his men, after an exciting trip of 214 miles eastward from Pueblo on a stolen train, have surrendered to the United States authorities. The men stole a Denver & Rio Grande engine and six Missouri Pacific coal cars at the Colorado city Tuesday night, and after a run unprecedented in western railroad history, skillfully evading officers of the law, railroad officials and obstructions placed in their way, arrived at Scott City late yesterday afternoon.

The men had met and built tracks around two obstructions Wednesday, and when they reached the third at Chivington, Col., Wednesday night, they were utterly worn out by their long ride and exposure and went into Chivington for rest and refreshment, abandoning their train for the present. Later, however, hearing that a wrecking train was on the way to remove the obstruction to allow the resumption of traffic, they returned on hand cars to the place of obstruction and awaited the arrival of the company's crew.

When the train arrived, Sanders signified his willingness to help in removing the cars thrown across the track, and in a drizzling rain the commander and his men worked for three or four hours.

The obstruction removed, Sanders coolly signaled all aboard, and forcing the work train before him proceeded on his way eastward with his original train.

When the men reached Chivington they made a breakfast on cold potatoes and bread. Here the work train was sidetracked, and Sanders being informed that no further attempt would be made to hinder his passage eastward, they started forward, arriving at Horace, Kan., about noon. Here a west-bound passenger, which had stood for thirty-six hours, was waiting for the stolen train to pass.

After Cosgrove coaled his engine and took water at the tank, the stolen train started out just as the east-bound mail from Pueblo entered the Horace yards. This changed the situation. The west-bound passenger was released and steamed away. Cosgrove slipped back upon the siding while Sanders ran up to the station to notify the conductor of the passenger train to go on ahead. In the yards stood five or six locomotives on their way back to Pueblo. Cosgrove slected the best passenger locomotive in the lot to replace the stolen switch engine.

There was a long delay. The officials did not want the passenger to leave ahead of the stolen train, as that would interfere with the plans laid to entrap the industrials at Scott City. But Sanders and Cosgrove were familiar with railroad rules, and they decided not to make the first move. Finally the officers ordered the passenger train to go ahead. The coal car special followed, just ten minutes later.

Then ensued a wild ride. The passenger train ran at a speed of forty-five miles an hour, down the straight stretches of track, while the wet and dirty passengers in the open coal cars in the midst of showers of cinders followed at the same speed. They were twelve minutes behind the mail train at Selkirk and but six minutes in the rear at Leoti. The mail entered Scott City only ten minutes ahead of the coal car tourists.

Meanwhile the special bearing the deputy United States marshals, and H. G. Clark, general superintendent, had been racing westward. Rails had been ordered removed just west of Scott City as there the scene of contest, if there was to be any, had been planned. The coming of the east-bound mail changed this plan, however, and the rails were relaid. Before the Coxeyites could reach Scott City the west-bound mail that had been held there was ordered west. When the Coxey crowd saw this new move upon the parf of the railway people they quickly retreated down the line. This action was quicklo wired to Supt. Derby in Pueblo.

"I guess they won't come far," he laconically remarked as he wrote a brief order to a crew at Selkirk. This order was to ditch a locomotive in White Woman's cut, four miles away, "and I guess," said he, "they won't be long in doing it."

But here again the Coxeyites fooled the railroad people. They only dropped back to Modoc switch, where they let the west-bound mail pass them, and then returned to Scott City, where they arrived shortly after 5 o'clock.

By this time the special with deputies had reached Scott City. Sanders asked for a conference, which was granted. The result of the conference was that Sanders was given a half hour to decide what course he would choose to take. He returned to his men and after a parley the men decided to peaceably surrender.

The entire delegation will be taken east at midnight to answer the charge of obstructing the mails. This movement will bring them nearer Washington, they think. They are happy to think that they had crossed 214 miles of almost barren plains with their stolen train before their progress was finally arrested.

Granted More Time to Find a Location.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—According to the order issued Wednesday by the district commissioners, "Gen." Coxey would have had to remove his camp to-morrow morning, but this order was modified yesterday by the commissioners. Coxey had a hearing before them at noon yesterday, and explained that it would be impossible for him to get his men out on so short a notice. The commissioners told him to continue his search for a location, and make report to them this afternoon as to his success, and they would then decide as to what should be done. Covey assured the commissioners that he was as anxious as anybody to have the "army" removed to another place, as it was certainly not a healthy spot, and fourteen men had already been sent to the hospital since the "army" located there.

Another Train Seized by Industrials.

TACOMA, Wash., May 10.—Sixty industrials seized a train of coal cars at Clealum to-day and started eastward on the Northern Pacific. Deputy Marshals Jolly and Chichester, who were shot while attempting to eject the crowd of industrials from the stolen train last night at Yakima, are on the way back to Tacoma. Jolly, it is believed, will die. The marshals are now the masters of the situation at the scene of the conflict. No further trouble was reported to-day.

Held for Parading Without a Permit.

NEW YORK, May 11.—George A. Sweetland, leader of the Connecticut division of Coxey's army, was yesterday held in $500 bail for trial on a charge of parading without a permit.

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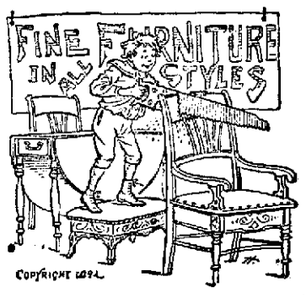

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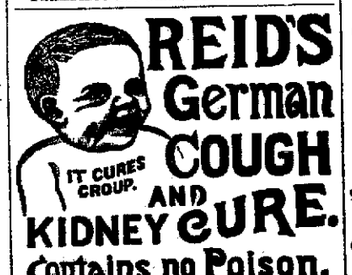

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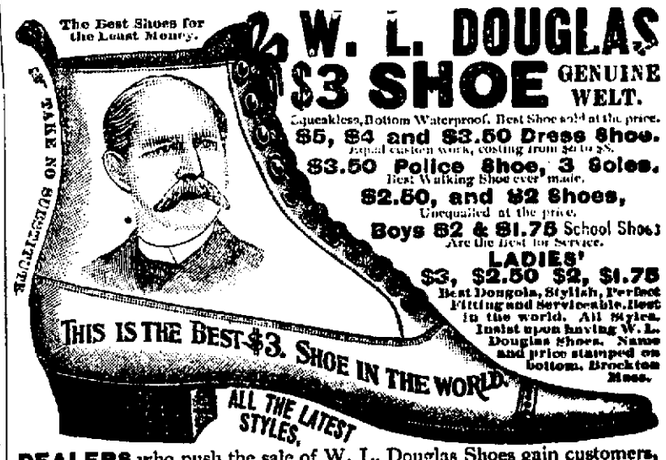

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